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24 MILLION AMERICANS
Poverty in the United States: 1969

This report presents statistics on poverty in the United States in 1969, based on the March 1970 Current Population Survey. The detailed tables present data for such characteristics of the poor as race, family status, size of family, employment status, work experience, occupation, education, earnings, income, and income deficit. Where available, data are presented for three racial classifications: (1) all races, (2) white, and (3) Negro. Although the primary focus of this report is on the United States as a whole, poverty data are also presented by region and type of residence. A description of the poor in 1969 and some analysis of the changes in the composition of the poor that have occurred between 1968 and 1969 and during the past decade are included.

This is the second Census Bureau report to present detailed poverty data based on the revised poverty definition adopted as the official standard in 1969 (see Definitions and Explanations, page 15, for a description of the revised definition). Since the detailed tables in this report cover one year only, they are more comprehensive than those found in the first report, "Poverty in the United States: 1959 to 1968," Current Population Reports, Series P-60, No. 68.

Some highlights of the data presented in this report are:

- In 1969, 24.3 million persons had incomes below the poverty level, a decrease of 1.1 million since 1968 and 15.2 million over the past decade. There was no significant change in the number of poor families between 1968 and 1969, but a 41 percent decline since 1959. Poor families headed by a man decreased by about one-half during this 10-year period, while there was no significant change in the number of poor families headed by a woman. Persons of Negro and other races constituted 31 percent of the poor in 1969, although they comprised only 12 percent of the total population.

- The proportion of persons below the poverty level decreased slightly between 1968 and 1969, from 12.8 percent to 12.2 percent. About 1 out of 10 families were poor in 1969, compared with about 1 out of 5 in 1959. Families headed by a person of Negro and other races were poor at a rate of about 27 percent in 1969, more than three times the poverty rate of about 8 percent for white families.

- In 1959, poor persons were about equally distributed between the South and the remainder of the country. By 1969, 54 percent of the poor lived outside the South. Over the past 10 years the proportion of the poverty population living in metropolitan areas has increased from about 44 percent to 51 percent. About 36 percent of the poor in the South lived in metropolitan areas in 1969 compared with 63 percent in the North and West.

- Sixty-one percent of poor male family heads and 43 percent of poor female family heads worked in 1969. About 90 percent of poor male heads who did not work were either ill or disabled, or can be presumed to be retired. About 72 percent of poor female heads who did not work gave family and home responsibilities as their main reason for not working in 1969.

- Poor Negro heads of families were more likely to have worked than their white counterparts. Seventy-one percent of the Negro male heads worked in 1969 compared with 59 percent for white male heads. For female heads of families the corresponding figures were 49 percent and 39 percent, respectively.

- While about two-thirds of all poor families had income from earnings in 1969, earnings accounted for only about one-half of their total aggregate income. In contrast, income from earnings accounted for about nine-tenths of the aggregate income for families above the poverty level. The largest categories of other income for poor families were social security payments and public assistance, from which 32 percent and 27 percent, respectively, of all poor families, received benefits.

- In 1969, it would have taken approximately $10.1 billion to raise the aggregate incomes of all poor families to the poverty level. The average poverty gap for poor families in 1969 was $1,280. Fourteen percent of all poor families had deficits within $250 of their respective poverty thresholds.

- By decreasing the various poverty thresholds to 75 percent of the existing thresholds, the number of poor persons would drop by 40 percent in 1969, and the poverty rate for persons would drop from 12 percent to 7 percent. Conversely, increasing the poverty thresholds to 125 percent of the existing thresholds would increase the poverty population by 44 percent and raise the poverty rate to 17 percent. As the poverty level is increased, the proportion of the poor who are white increases slightly.

Persons Below the Poverty Level

Between 1968 and 1969, the number of poor persons declined by about 1.1 million, or 4.3 percent (table A). The proportion of persons below the poverty level decreased slightly, from 12.8 percent in 1968 to 12.2 percent in 1969. During the past 10 years, the number of poor persons in the United States declined from 39.5 million to 24.3 million. This represents a decline of about 38 percent in the poverty population since 1959. The percent of persons below the poverty level declined from about 22 percent in 1959 to 12 percent in 1969.

Between 1959 and 1969, the proportion of persons of Negro and other races who were poor dropped from 56 percent to 31 percent. For white persons, the percent who were poor decreased from 18 percent in 1959 to approximately 10 percent in 1969. The poverty rate for persons of Negro and other races remained about three times that for whites. Although white persons continued to make up over two-thirds of all poor persons, persons of Negro and other races remained disproportionately overrepresented in the poverty ranks. In 1969, persons of Negro and other races constituted 31 percent of the poor, although they comprised only 12 percent of the total population.

Table A. PERSONS BELOW THE POVERTY LEVEL IN 1969, 1968, AND 1959, BY FAMILY STATUS AND RACE OF HEAD

(Numbers in thousands)

Family status and race of head	Number below poverty level			Percent below poverty level		
	1969	1968	1959	1969	1968	1959
ALL RACES						
All persons	24,289	25,389	39,490	12.2	12.8	22.4
In families	19,438	20,695	34,562	10.5	11.3	20.8
Head	4,950	5,047	8,320	9.7	10.0	18.5
Family members under 18 years[1]	9,821	10,739	17,208	14.1	15.3	26.9
Other family members	4,667	4,909	9,034	7.3	7.8	15.9
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	4,851	4,694	4,928	33.6	34.0	46.1
WHITE						
All persons	16,671	17,395	28,484	9.5	10.0	18.1
In families	12,709	13,546	24,443	7.8	8.4	16.5
Head	3,555	3,616	6,185	7.7	8.0	15.2
Family members under 18 years[1]	5,777	6,373	11,386	9.8	10.7	20.6
Other family members	3,377	3,557	6,872	5.8	6.3	13.3
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	3,962	3,849	4,041	31.8	32.2	44.1
NEGRO AND OTHER RACES						
All persons	7,618	7,994	11,006	31.1	33.5	56.2
In families	6,729	7,149	10,119	29.9	32.4	56.0
Head	1,395	1,431	2,135	26.7	28.2	50.4
Family members under 18 years[1]	4,044	4,366	5,822	38.0	41.6	66.7
Other family members	1,290	1,352	2,162	19.4	20.9	42.5
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	889	845	887	44.9	45.7	57.4
NEGRO AND OTHER RACES AS PERCENT OF TOTAL						
All persons	31.4	31.5	27.9	(X)	(X)	(X)
In families	34.6	34.5	29.3	(X)	(X)	(X)
Head	28.2	28.4	25.7	(X)	(X)	(X)
Family members under 18 years[1]	41.2	40.7	33.8	(X)	(X)	(X)
Other family members	27.6	27.5	23.9	(X)	(X)	(X)
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	18.3	18.0	18.0	(X)	(X)	(X)

X Not applicable.
[1]Other than head or wife.

Persons living in families accounted for about 88 percent of the poor in 1959 and 80 percent in 1969 (table B). This change was not as large for members of poor families of Negro and other races as it was for poor white family members. About 88 percent of poor persons of Negro and other races were in families in 1969 compared to 92 percent in 1959. In contrast, 76 percent of poor white persons were in families in 1969 compared to 86 percent in 1959. Members of families of Negro and other races have increased from 29 percent of all poor family members in 1959 to 35 percent in 1969. Among poor families with a male head in 1969, children under 18 years of age in families of Negro and other races accounted for about 32 percent of all such family members, while in poor families headed by women, children of Negro and other races accounted for about 52 percent of all children in these families.

Conversely, unrelated individuals (i.e., persons not living with relatives) represented about 20 percent of the poor in 1969, up from about 12 percent in 1959. Since 1959, the number of poor unrelated individuals under 65 years old decreased by about 14 percent (table D). However, this decline was offset by an 11 percent increase in the number of aged unrelated individuals, resulting in no significant change in the total number of poor unrelated individuals between 1959 and 1969 (4.9 million). Aged unrelated individuals now account for about 55 percent of all poor unrelated individuals.

Table B. DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONS BELOW THE POVERTY LEVEL IN 1969 AND 1959, BY SEX AND RACE OF HEAD

Family status	1969			1959		
	All races	White	Negro and other races	All races	White	Negro and other races
ALL PERSONS						
Number.....thousands..	24,289	16,671	7,618	39,490	28,484	11,006
Percent.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
In families.....	80.0	76.2	88.3	87.6	85.8	91.9
Head.....	20.4	21.3	18.3	21.1	21.7	19.4
Family members under 18 years[1].....	40.4	34.7	53.1	43.6	40.0	52.9
Other family members.....	19.2	20.3	16.9	22.9	24.1	19.6
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over..	20.0	23.8	11.7	12.5	14.2	8.1
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD[2]						
Number.....thousands..	13,819	10,156	3,663	29,100	21,369	7,731
Percent.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
In families.....	90.0	89.7	90.9	94.7	94.7	94.9
Head.....	22.8	24.5	17.9	22.0	23.2	18.8
Family members under 18 years[1].....	39.4	36.3	48.0	44.9	42.0	53.0
Other family members.....	27.9	28.9	25.0	27.8	29.5	23.1
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over..	10.0	10.3	9.1	5.3	5.4	5.1
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD[2]						
Number.....thousands..	10,470	6,515	3,955	10,390	7,115	3,275
Percent.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
In families.....	66.8	55.3	85.9	67.5	59.4	85.0
Head.....	17.2	16.3	18.7	18.4	17.3	20.9
Family members under 18 years[1].....	41.8	32.1	57.7	39.9	34.0	52.7
Other family members.....	7.8	6.8	9.5	9.2	8.1	11.4
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over..	33.2	44.7	14.1	32.5	40.5	15.1

[1]Other than head or wife.
[2]For unrelated individuals, sex of individual.

In 1959, poor persons were about equally distributed between the South and the remainder of the country (table C). By 1969, about 46 percent of all poor persons lived in the South and 54 percent lived outside the South.

Over the past 10 years, the proportion of the poverty population residing in metropolitan areas increased from 44 percent to 51 percent. However, there was a large degree of variation by region in the proportion of the poor who lived in metropolitan areas. About 36 percent of the poor in the South lived in metropolitan areas in 1969 as compared with 63 percent in the North and West. While the same proportion of poor whites and Negroes lived in metropolitan areas in the South (about 36 percent), in the North and West 56 percent of poor white persons and 94 percent of Negro persons lived in metropolitan areas.

Table C. DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONS BELOW THE POVERTY LEVEL IN 1969 AND 1959, BY REGION AND TYPE OF RESIDENCE

Region and type of residence	All races		White		Negro	
	1969	1959[1]	1969	1959[1]	1969	1959[1]
United States.....thousands..	24,289	38,766	16,671	28,336	7,215	9,927
Percent.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Metropolitan areas.....	50.7	43.9	49.2	41.7	53.4	50.4
Central cities.....	31.9	26.9	27.2	23.0	42.5	38.4
Suburban rings.....	18.8	17.0	22.0	18.7	10.9	11.9
Nonmetropolitan areas.....	49.3	56.1	50.8	58.3	46.6	49.6
North and West.....thousands..	13,125	19,650	10,503	16,859	2,285	2,422
Percent.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Metropolitan areas.....	63.1	55.0	56.3	49.7	93.8	93.0
Central cities.....	40.1	33.6	31.0	27.3	80.7	78.7
Suburban rings.....	23.0	21.3	25.2	22.4	13.0	14.2
Nonmetropolitan areas.....	36.9	45.0	43.7	50.3	6.3	7.0
South.....thousands..	11,163	19,116	6,166	11,477	4,928	7,505
Percent.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Metropolitan areas.....	36.2	32.5	37.1	30.0	34.7	36.6
Central cities.....	22.4	20.0	20.5	16.7	24.8	25.4
Suburban rings.....	13.8	12.5	16.6	13.3	9.9	11.2
Nonmetropolitan areas.....	63.8	67.5	62.9	70.0	65.3	63.4

[1]Data from the 1-in-1,000 sample of the 1960 census.

Characteristics of Families Below the Poverty Level

There was no significant change in the number of poor families between 1968 and 1969. There were about 5 million poor families in 1969, a decrease of about 41 percent since 1959 (table D). About one-tenth of all families in the United States were poor in 1969 as compared with 19 percent in 1959. The number of poor families headed by men has decreased by about one-half between 1959 and 1969 while the number of poor families headed by women has shown no significant change during the same period.

For both male and female headed families, the poverty rate for Negroes was considerably greater than that for whites in 1969 (table E). Negro families comprised about 19 percent of all poor families with a man as head, but 40 percent of poor families with a woman as head.

The rate of poverty for families with female heads was higher than that for families headed by men at every age interval. For example, approximately 60 percent of all families with female heads under 25 years old were poor in 1969, as contrasted with only 9 percent of families headed by men in that age group. About 16 percent of families

Table D. CHANGE IN FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS BELOW THE POVERTY LEVEL, BY RACE OF HEAD: 1959 TO 1969

(Numbers in thousands)

Selected characteristics	1969	1959	Change, 1959 to 1969	
			Number	Percent
ALL RACES				
All families.....	4,950	8,320	-3,370	-40.5
Male head.....	3,146	6,404	-3,258	-50.9
Female head.....	1,804	1,916	-112	-5.8
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over....	4,851	4,928	-77	-1.6
Under 65 years.....	2,190	2,532	-342	-13.5
65 years and over...	2,660	2,396	264	11.0
WHITE				
All families.....	3,555	6,185	-2,630	-42.5
Male.....	2,490	4,952	-2,462	-49.7
Female head.....	1,065	1,233	-168	-13.6
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over....	3,962	4,041	-79	-2.0
Under 65 years.....	1,662	1,866	-204	-10.9
65 years and over...	2,300	2,175	125	5.7
NEGRO AND OTHER RACES				
All families.....	1,395	2,135	-740	-34.7
Male head.....	656	1,452	-796	-54.8
Female head.....	739	683	56	8.2
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over....	889	887	2	0.2
Under 65 years.....	528	666	-138	-20.7
65 years and over...	361	221	140	63.3

with an elderly male head and 24 percent of comparable families with a female head were poor. Families headed by a man 65 years and over accounted for about one-third of all poor families with a male head while families with an aged woman as head accounted for about one in seven of all families with a female head. The median age of male heads below the poverty level was about 53 years compared with about 39 years of poor female heads.

Families of any size having a male head were poor at rates far below those for female headed families. The poverty rate for all male headed families was 7 percent as compared with 32 percent for female headed families. About 18 percent of families with a male head who had seven or more persons in the family were poor as contrasted with 66 percent of comparable families with a female head.

The chances that a family with children would be poor tended to rise as the number of children in the family increased. Families with a male head who had one or two children under 18 years of age were poor at a rate of about 4 percent, while male headed families with five or more children were poor at a rate of 19 percent. About one-third of female headed families with one or two children were poor, as compared with three-fourths of the families with a female head with five or more children. About 46 percent of poor male headed families had no family members under 18 years, while only 17 percent of poor female headed families had no children living with them.

Approximately 22 percent of male heads and 43 percent of female heads with less than 8 years of school completed were poor in 1969 while only 3 percent of male heads and 18 percent of female heads with some college had incomes below the poverty level. About 60 percent of all poor male heads completed less than 9 years of school as compared with 42 percent of poor female heads.

Approximately 61 percent of poor male heads of families worked in 1969, as compared with 43 percent of the female family heads. This difference primarily reflects the inability of female heads to leave their family responsibilities to find work. About 72 percent of poor female heads who did not work gave family and home responsibilities as their main reason for not working.

Forty-seven percent of poor male heads who did not work gave illness or disability as the reason. Another 43 percent of poor male heads who did not work were over 65 years of age and gave "other" as their reason for not working, and can therefore be presumed to be retired. It might be noted that only about 2 percent of the poor family heads who did not work in 1969 gave inability to find work as their reason for not working. It does not appear then that greater employment opportunities alone would significantly help the large group of poor family heads who did not work.

About 34 percent of poor male heads of families and 13 percent of poor female family heads worked 50 to 52 weeks in 1969. In contrast, 74 percent of male family heads and 47 percent of the female heads of families above the poverty level worked year round. Families with male heads who worked all year had a poverty rate of about one-half that for all families with a male head. Families headed by women who worked year round were poor at a rate of about one-third that for all female headed families. The poverty rate of 11 percent for these female headed families was, however, about three times the poverty rate for comparable male headed families (3 percent).

Table E. SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS OF FAMILIES BELOW THE POVERTY LEVEL IN 1969, BY SEX OF HEAD

(Numbers in thousands)

Selected characteristics	Male head				Female head			
	Number below poverty level	Percent below poverty level	Percent distribution		Number below poverty level	Percent below poverty level	Percent distribution	
			Below poverty level	Above poverty level			Below poverty level	Above poverty level
RACE OF HEAD								
Total	3,146	6.9	100.0	100.0	1,804	32.3	100.0	100.0
White	2,490	6.0	79.1	92.6	1,065	25.4	59.0	82.6
Negro	608	17.8	19.3	6.6	718	53.2	39.8	16.7
Other	48	12.2	1.5	0.8	21	(B)	1.2	0.7
AGE OF HEAD								
Total	3,146	6.9	100.0	100.0	1,804	32.3	100.0	100.0
14 to 24 years	264	8.6	8.4	6.6	263	60.2	14.6	4.6
25 to 54 years	1,418	4.9	45.1	65.4	1,103	35.5	61.1	53.1
55 to 64 years	485	6.6	15.4	16.3	174	18.9	9.6	19.7
65 years and over	980	16.4	31.2	11.7	263	23.6	14.6	22.6
SIZE OF FAMILY								
Total	3,146	6.9	100.0	100.0	1,804	32.3	100.0	100.0
2 persons	1,313	8.7	41.7	32.5	583	23.1	32.3	51.5
3 and 4 persons	798	4.3	25.4	41.6	673	32.1	37.3	37.6
5 and 6 persons	535	5.8	17.0	20.4	373	53.8	20.7	8.5
7 persons or more	500	17.6	15.9	5.5	175	66.0	9.7	2.4
NUMBER OF FAMILY MEMBERS UNDER 18[1]								
Total	3,146	6.9	100.0	100.0	1,804	32.3	100.0	100.0
No members	1,438	7.5	45.7	41.8	307	13.9	17.0	50.3
1 and 2 members	745	4.4	23.7	37.7	754	34.6	41.8	37.8
3 and 4 members	563	7.4	17.9	16.5	482	56.8	26.7	9.7
5 members or more	400	19.3	12.7	3.9	262	76.2	14.5	2.2
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT OF HEAD[2]								
Total	2,879	6.8	100.0	100.0	1,539	29.9	100.0	100.0
Elementary: Less than 8 years[3]	1,225	21.7	42.5	11.1	460	43.4	29.9	16.6
8 years	498	9.1	17.3	12.5	188	28.0	12.2	13.4
High school: 1 to 3 years	429	6.1	14.9	16.6	442	40.0	28.7	18.4
4 years	469	3.5	16.3	32.7	347	21.5	22.5	35.2
College: 1 to 3 years	155	3.2	5.4	11.7	73	17.5	4.7	9.5
4 years or more	102	1.6	3.5	15.4	30	10.9	1.9	6.8
WORK EXPERIENCE OF HEAD								
Total	3,146	6.9	100.0	100.0	1,804	32.3	100.0	100.0
Worked in 1969	1,931	4.9	61.4	89.1	771	23.3	42.7	67.3
50 to 52 weeks	1,064	3.3	33.8	74.2	228	11.4	12.6	46.9
27 to 49 weeks	440	8.6	14.0	11.1	152	24.7	8.4	12.3
26 weeks or less	428	20.8	13.6	3.8	390	55.8	21.6	8.2
Did not work in 1969	1,156	23.9	36.7	8.7	1,032	45.5	57.2	32.7
Main reason for not working:								
Ill or disabled	540	36.2	17.2	2.2	203	48.5	11.3	5.7
Keeping house	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	741	46.7	41.1	22.4
Going to school	26	31.7	0.8	0.1	20	(B)	1.1	0.2
Unable to find work	11	(B)	0.3	0.1	25	(B)	1.4	0.2
Other	579	17.9	18.4	6.3	43	21.6	2.4	4.1
65 years and over	493	17.7	15.7	5.4	29	17.5	1.6	3.6
In Armed Forces	60	5.9	1.9	2.2	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
OCCUPATION OF LONGEST JOB OF HEAD								
Total	3,146	6.9	100.0	100.0	1,804	32.3	100.0	100.0
Worked in 1969	1,931	4.9	61.4	89.1	771	23.3	42.7	67.3
Professional and managerial workers	270	2.2	8.6	27.8	40	8.2	2.2	11.8
Clerical and sales workers	86	1.8	2.7	11.2	129	11.8	7.2	25.5
Craftsmen and foremen	307	3.4	9.8	20.2	4	(B)	0.2	0.9
Operatives	352	4.6	11.2	17.3	147	23.2	8.1	12.9
Private household workers	6	(B)	0.2	-	147	57.0	8.1	2.9
Other service workers	113	5.3	3.6	4.7	244	35.3	13.5	11.9
Nonfarm laborers	270	13.0	8.6	4.2	15	(B)	0.8	0.5
Farmers and farm laborers	525	25.3	16.7	3.6	46	(B)	2.5	0.9
Did not work in 1969	1,156	23.9	36.7	8.7	1,032	45.5	57.2	32.7
In Armed Forces	60	5.9	1.9	2.2	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)

- Represents zero. B Base less than 75,000. X Not applicable.
[1]Other than head or wife. [2]Head 25 years old and over. [3]Includes heads with no years of school completed.

Poor Negro heads of families, regardless of sex, were more likely to have worked than their white counterparts. Seventy-one percent of the Negro male heads worked in 1969 as compared to 59 percent for white male heads. For female heads of families the corresponding figures were 49 percent and 39 percent, respectively (table 14). Despite having worked at higher rates than their white counterparts, the proportion of Negro heads of families who were poor was still higher than that for whites.

The jobs of poor family heads who worked in 1969 were concentrated heavily in those occupational groups which are low-skilled and low paying. Twenty percent of the poor male heads who worked were service workers or nonfarm laborers and 27 percent worked as farmers or farm laborers. About 25 percent of all male heads who worked as farmers or farm laborers were poor. This occupational group, along with nonfarm laborers, were the only groups which had a poverty rate above the average for all male heads who worked.

About one-half of all poor female family heads who worked were in service occupations. Operatives and clerical and sales workers made up the bulk of the remaining workers. Female family heads who worked in white collar occupations had below average poverty rates, while almost all other occupational groupings were well above the average for all poor female heads of families who worked.

Poor male headed families were about equally distributed between the South and the balance of the country in 1969, while about 44 percent of poor families with a female head resided in the South and 56 percent lived in the North and West (table F).

Table F. DISTRIBUTION OF FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS BELOW THE POVERTY LEVEL IN 1969 AND 1959, BY REGION AND TYPE OF RESIDENCE

Region and type of residence	1969			1959[1]		
	Total	Male head[2]	Female head[2]	Total	Male head[2]	Female head[2]
FAMILIES						
United States.....thousands..	4,950	3,146	1,804	8,320	6,404	1,916
Percent.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Region:						
North and West.....	52.9	51.4	55.6	49.5	46.8	58.4
South.....	47.0	48.6	44.3	50.5	53.2	41.6
Type of residence:						
Metropolitan areas.....	48.8	41.5	61.6	41.9	37.9	55.2
Central cities.....	30.0	23.7	40.9	25.2	21.6	37.5
Suburban rings.....	18.8	17.8	20.7	16.7	16.4	17.7
Nonmetropolitan areas.....	51.2	58.6	38.4	58.1	62.1	44.8
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS						
United States.....thousands..	4,851	1,379	3,472	4,928	1,552	3,376
Percent.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Region:						
North and West.....	66.5	67.1	66.3	69.5	69.1	69.8
South.....	33.5	33.0	33.7	30.5	30.9	30.2
Type of residence:						
Metropolitan areas.....	59.9	60.7	59.6	58.9	57.2	59.7
Central cities.....	38.6	41.8	37.3	39.3	37.0	40.4
Suburban rings.....	21.3	18.9	22.3	19.6	20.2	19.3
Nonmetropolitan areas.....	40.1	39.3	40.4	41.1	42.8	40.3

[1]Data from 1-in-1,000 sample of the 1960 census.
[2]For unrelated individuals, sex of individual.

A majority of poor female headed families lived in metropolitan areas in both 1959 and 1969. About 55 percent of poor families headed by a woman resided in metropolitan areas in 1959 and about 62 percent in 1969. In contrast, over one-half of poor male headed families lived in nonmetropolitan areas in both years. Of all poor families, the proportion residing in central cities of metropolitan areas increased from 25 percent in 1959 to 30 percent in 1969.

With regard to unrelated individuals, two-thirds of all these persons lived in the North and West in 1969. Over one-half of the poor unrelated persons lived in metropolitan areas in both 1959 and 1969, and in 1969, 64 percent of those lived within the central cities of metropolitan areas.

Type and Source of Income

A large portion of the aggregate income of families below the poverty level came from sources other than earnings in 1969. While about two-thirds of all poor families had income from earnings in 1969, earnings accounted for only about one-half of their total aggregate income (table G). In contrast, income from earnings accounted for about nine-tenths of the aggregate income for families above the poverty level.

The proportion of poor and nonpoor families receiving income other than earnings did not differ greatly (68 percent and 61 percent, respectively). However, 48 percent of the aggregate income of poor families was attributable to income other than earnings compared with only 10 percent for families above the poverty level. There were significant differences in the type of other income received between families above and families below the poverty level. The largest categories of other income for poor families were Social Security payments and public assistance, from which 32 percent and 27 percent, respectively, of all poor families, received benefits. Public assistance and Social Security payments each made up about 19 percent of the total aggregate income of poor families, while for nonpoor families, the combined income from Social Security and public assistance comprised only about 3 percent of the total aggregate income. The largest category of income other than earnings for nonpoor families was dividends, interest, and rent. While about 45 percent of these families received income of this type, only about 15 percent of poor families received such income.

With regard to sex of head, poor families with a male head received about 61 percent of their total income from earnings as compared to 33 percent for families with a female head. For families with a male head, Social Security accounted for the largest proportion of the income other than earnings, while for female headed families public assistance income made up not only the majority of their total unearned income, but two-fifths of their total aggregate income.

Poverty Gap and Aggregate Income Deficit

The poverty definition used in this report is based on total money income received during the preceding calendar year. The dollar gap between the poverty threshold and the amount of income received is thus a measure of the degree of impoverishment of a family or unrelated individual. However, caution must be exercised in comparing the average poverty deficit of families of different racial groups. Since the poverty thresholds used in this report are based on family size and composition, apparent differences in the average income deficits of racial groups may, to some extent, be a function of the differences in these characteristics. It must also be remembered that the poverty thresholds in this report vary according to the sex of the family head. Thus, differences in the average poverty deficit between families with a male or female head may be attributable to both differences in thresholds and to differences in family size and composition.

The average (mean) poverty gap for all poor families in 1969 was $1,280 (table H). For poor families with a male head, the average poverty deficit was about $1,170. The average deficit for families with a male head and one family member under 18 years was $1,260 as contrasted with $1,860 for comparable families with six or more family members under 18 years.

On the average, families with a female head had income deficits of about $1,470, ranging from $780 for families with no children to $2,630 for families with six or more children. There was no clear differential relationship between the average income deficit for white and Negro families with a female head as the number of family members under 18 years increased.

The average deficit for male unrelated individuals was about $840. The deficit for Negroes was about $130 greater than that for whites ($810). For female unrelated individuals the average poverty gap was about $750. As was the case for males, the average deficit for Negro female unrelated individuals ($810) was significantly larger than that for their white counterparts ($740).

Table G. DISTRIBUTION OF FAMILIES BY TYPE OF INCOME, POVERTY STATUS IN 1969, AND SEX OF HEAD

Type of income	Number (thousands)			Aggregate income (millions)		
	Total	Above poverty level	Below poverty level	Total	Above poverty level	Below poverty level
All families	51,237	46,287	4,950	$541,934	$531,298	$10,636
Percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Earnings	91.5	94.4	64.6	89.1	89.9	51.6
Wage and salary	86.4	89.7	55.1	80.2	80.8	49.0
Nonfarm self-employment income	12.2	12.4	9.9	7.5	7.6	1.2
Farm self-employment income	5.5	5.2	8.6	1.5	1.5	1.4
Income other than earnings	61.8	61.1	68.0	10.9	10.1	48.4
Social Security and Govt. R.R. retirement	19.4	18.1	32.1	3.0	2.7	19.5
Dividends, interest, and rent	41.7	44.5	15.0	3.8	3.9	1.9
Public assistance income	5.1	2.7	27.4	0.7	0.3	18.9
Other transfer payments[1]	13.8	14.4	8.8	1.7	1.6	3.2
Private pensions, alimony, annuities, etc.	10.0	9.9	10.5	1.7	1.6	4.8
Families with male head	45,656	42,510	3,146	$508,928	$501,916	$7,012
Percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Earnings	93.1	94.8	70.0	90.4	90.8	61.3
Wage and salary	87.6	90.0	56.4	81.0	81.4	57.7
Nonfarm and self-employment income	13.0	13.0	13.2	7.8	7.9	1.5
Farm self-employment income	6.0	5.5	13.0	1.5	1.5	2.1
Income other than earnings	59.6	59.5	61.7	9.6	9.2	38.7
Social Security and Govt. R.R. retirement	17.1	15.7	36.2	2.6	2.3	21.9
Dividends, interest, and rent	43.3	45.1	18.4	3.8	3.8	2.2
Public assistance income	2.9	1.9	16.6	0.3	0.2	8.7
Other transfer payments[1]	13.8	14.1	10.0	1.6	1.6	3.7
Private pensions, alimony, annuities, etc.	8.5	8.6	6.2	1.3	1.3	2.2
Families with female head	5,581	3,777	1,804	$33,006	$29,382	$3,624
Percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Earnings	78.6	89.8	55.2	69.9	74.5	32.8
Wage and salary	76.1	87.1	52.9	66.6	70.9	32.0
Nonfarm self-employment income	5.3	5.9	4.0	2.7	2.9	0.8
Farm self-employment income	2.0	2.5	0.8	0.6	0.7	-
Income other than earnings	79.5	79.9	78.8	30.1	25.5	67.1
Social Security and Govt. R.R. retirement	38.8	45.4	24.9	9.7	9.0	15.0
Dividends, interest, and rent	28.5	37.8	9.1	4.5	4.9	1.3
Public assistance income	22.7	11.4	46.2	6.6	2.6	38.7
Other transfer payments[1]	14.5	18.1	6.8	2.7	2.8	2.2
Private pensions, alimony, annuities, etc.	22.6	24.6	18.2	6.6	6.2	9.9

- Represents zero.
[1]Unemployment and workmen's compensation, government employee pensions, and Veterans' payments.

In 1969, 16 percent of poor male headed families had incomes within $250 of their respective poverty thresholds. Twenty-two percent of these families with no children under 18 had deficits of less than $250 compared with about 11 percent of families with children under 18.

About 11 percent of families with a female head had deficits within $250 of their respective thresholds. Twenty-three percent of those with no family members under 18 were within this interval while only about 8 percent of those with children had deficits of this size.

Table H. SIZE OF INCOME DEFICIT IN 1969 FOR FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS BELOW THE POVERTY LEVEL, BY NUMBER OF FAMILY MEMBERS UNDER 18 AND SEX AND RACE OF HEAD

Size of income deficit	Total families	Families having specified number of family members under 18 years[1]								Total unrelated individuals
		None	1 or more							
			Total	1	2	3	4	5	6 or more	
ALL FAMILIES										
All Races										
Number.....thousands..	4,950	1,745	3,205	752	746	595	450	320	342	4,851
Percent.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
$1 to $249.....	14.0	22.2	9.5	9.0	13.0	10.8	7.3	8.7	4.4	16.5
$250 to $499.....	12.8	17.6	10.2	14.4	11.4	9.9	7.1	6.6	6.1	19.7
$500 to $999.....	23.8	29.0	21.0	25.5	24.9	16.3	20.9	17.2	14.6	34.9
$1,000 to $1,999.....	27.1	23.9	28.9	32.2	25.7	30.1	29.7	28.1	26.0	28.9
$2,000 and over.....	22.3	7.5	30.5	18.8	25.0	32.8	34.9	39.4	48.9	-
Mean income deficit.....	$1,283	$805	$1,543	$1,216	$1,305	$1,589	$1,733	$1,844	$2,170	$777
Deficit per family member.....	$327	$372	$316	$448	$349	$324	$291	$270	$243	(X)
Mean size of family.....	3.9	2.2	4.9	2.7	3.7	4.9	6.0	6.8	8.9	(X)
White										
Mean income deficit.....	$1,200	$793	$1,484	$1,236	$1,336	$1,540	$1,686	$1,752	$2,076	$759
Deficit per family member.....	$336	$369	$325	$458	$361	$321	$287	$256	$237	(X)
Mean size of family.....	3.6	2.1	4.6	2.7	3.7	4.8	5.9	6.8	8.8	(X)
Negro										
Mean income deficit.....	$1,504	$851	$1,662	$1,157	$1,217	$1,716	$1,818	$2,009	$2,249	$859
Deficit per family member.....	$311	$375	$305	$427	$322	$338	$300	$296	$248	(X)
Mean size of family.....	4.8	2.3	5.5	2.7	3.8	5.1	6.1	6.8	9.1	(X)
FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD										
All Races										
Number.....thousands..	3,146	1,438	1,710	386	359	315	248	195	205	1,379
Percent.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
$1 to $249.....	16.0	22.0	11.0	8.6	14.7	14.0	10.0	11.9	4.8	15.7
$250 to $499.....	14.5	17.7	11.8	16.4	12.5	14.0	7.6	6.7	8.3	19.0
$500 to $999.....	24.8	29.0	21.2	26.4	22.0	16.5	24.0	16.5	18.0	32.1
$1,000 to $1,999.....	25.4	22.9	27.5	26.5	26.5	24.5	30.0	31.0	29.6	33.2
$2,000 and over.....	19.3	8.4	28.5	22.0	24.4	31.2	28.4	34.0	39.3	-
Mean income deficit.....	$1,174	$811	$1,478	$1,256	$1,313	$1,479	$1,595	$1,685	$1,861	$843
Deficit per family member.....	$297	$376	$271	$396	$312	$274	$248	$233	$200	(X)
Mean size of family.....	4.0	2.2	5.5	3.2	4.2	5.4	6.4	7.2	9.3	(X)
White										
Mean income deficit.....	$1,130	$805	$1,451	$1,277	$1,314	$1,463	$1,560	$1,636	$1,858	$813
Deficit per family member.....	$309	$376	$282	$412	$315	$281	$250	$229	$206	(X)
Mean size of family.....	3.7	2.1	5.1	3.1	4.2	5.2	6.2	7.1	9.0	(X)
Negro										
Mean income deficit.....	$1,349	$844	$1,578	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	$1,880	$940
Deficit per family member.....	$266	$376	$248	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	$196	(X)
Mean size of family.....	5.1	2.2	6.4	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	(B)	9.6	(X)
FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD										
All Races										
Number.....thousands..	1,804	307	1,496	366	387	280	202	125	137	3,472
Percent.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
$1 to $249.....	10.5	22.9	7.9	9.6	11.4	7.6	4.5	4.0	2.9	16.8
$250 to $499.....	9.8	17.0	8.4	12.3	10.3	5.4	6.5	6.5	2.9	20.0
$500 to $999.....	22.0	28.2	20.8	24.3	27.9	16.2	16.9	18.6	9.5	36.1
$1,000 to $1,999.....	30.1	28.8	30.5	38.2	24.9	36.5	29.5	23.5	21.3	27.1
$2,000 and over.....	27.7	3.2	32.6	15.6	25.6	34.5	42.7	47.6	63.3	-
Mean income deficit.....	$1,473	$777	$1,617	$1,174	$1,299	$1,713	$1,903	$2,093	$2,633	$751
Deficit per family member.....	$380	$353	$383	$526	$392	$394	$353	$338	$315	(X)
Mean size of family.....	3.9	2.2	4.2	2.2	3.3	4.3	5.4	6.2	8.4	(X)
White										
Mean income deficit.....	$1,364	$731	$1,534	$1,181	$1,361	$1,653	$1,913	(B)	(B)	$739
Deficit per family member.....	$403	$334	$413	$544	$427	$394	$369	(B)	(B)	(X)
Mean size of family.....	3.4	2.2	3.7	2.2	3.2	4.2	5.2	(B)	(B)	(X)
Negro										
Mean income deficit.....	$1,636	(B)	$1,716	$1,161	$1,154	$1,820	$1,885	$2,108	$2,612	$814
Deficit per family member.....	$354	(B)	$353	$504	$325	$396	$339	$333	$307	(X)
Mean size of family.....	4.6	(B)	4.9	2.3	3.6	4.6	5.6	6.3	8.5	(X)

- Represents zero. B Base less than 75,000. X Not applicable.

[1]Other than head or wife.

In 1969, it would have taken approximately $10.1 billion to raise the aggregate incomes of all poor persons to the poverty level (table I). The aggregate income deficit has decreased by about $3.5 billion since 1959, reflecting the decrease in the number of poor persons. White persons accounted for about 72 percent of the total deficit in both 1959 and 1969. Persons in families accounted for about 72 percent of the total deficit in 1959 and 63 percent in 1969. This decrease reflects the increase of unrelated individuals as a percent of all poor persons. Poor families with a female head accounted for 20 percent of the income deficit for white persons and 42 percent of the deficit for persons of Negro and other races.

Unrelated individuals made up about 20 percent of the poverty population in 1969, but accounted for about 37 percent of the income deficit in that year. Approximately 41 percent of the income deficit for whites and 27 percent of the income deficit for persons of Negro and other races was attributable to unrelated individuals in 1969. About two-thirds of the deficit for unrelated individuals was contributed by females.

Table I. DISTRIBUTION OF POOR PERSONS AND AGGREGATE INCOME DEFICIT IN 1969 AND 1959, BY FAMILY STATUS AND RACE OF HEAD

Year and family status	Number below poverty level (thousands)			Aggregate income deficit (millions)		
	All races	White	Negro and other races	All races	White	Negro and other races
1969						
All persons	24,289	16,671	7,618	$10,120	$7,273	$2,850
Percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
In families	80.0	76.2	88.3	62.8	58.7	73.1
With male head	51.2	54.6	43.7	36.5	38.7	30.9
With female head	28.8	21.6	44.6	26.2	19.9	42.2
Unrelated individuals	20.0	23.8	11.7	37.2	41.3	26.8
Male	5.7	6.3	4.4	11.5	11.7	10.9
Female	14.3	17.5	7.3	25.8	29.6	15.9
1959						
All persons	39,490	28,484	11,006	$13,668	$9,811	$3,857
Percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
In families	87.5	85.8	91.9	71.8	68.1	81.1
With male head	69.8	71.0	66.7	52.3	51.4	54.6
With female head	17.8	14.9	25.3	19.4	16.6	26.5
Unrelated individuals	12.5	14.2	8.1	28.2	31.9	18.9
Male	3.9	4.1	3.6	8.7	9.0	8.1
Female	8.5	10.1	4.5	19.5	22.9	10.8

Variations of the Poverty Level

In the past, interest has been shown in establishing alternate poverty levels. By tabulating data on persons with incomes 25 percent below and above the established poverty thresholds, a picture of those persons with incomes near the poverty line is shown. By decreasing the poverty level by 25 percent in 1969, the number of poor persons is decreased by 40 percent (table J). This would reduce the percent below the poverty level from 12 to 7 percent. Raising the poverty level by 25 percent would increase the poverty population by 44 percent and the poverty rate to 17 percent.

Raising the poverty line to 125 percent of the existing poverty level in 1969 would increase the number of poor white persons by 47 percent and the number of poor Negroes by 34 percent. Similarly, with a decrease in the poverty level by 25 percent, there is a greater percentage decrease in the white poor (42 percent) than in the Negro

poor (35 percent). With regard to sex of head, increasing the poverty line to 125 percent would raise the number of persons in male headed families by about 61 percent in contrast to a 26 percent increase in the number of persons in families with a female head (table K).

As the poverty level increases, the proportion of the poor in 1969 living in families increases from 77 percent at the 75 percent level to 83 percent at the 125 percent level. White persons account for 66 percent of the poverty population at the 75 percent level, increasing slightly to 70 percent at the 125 percent level. Also, the proportion of poor persons in families with a male head and male unrelated individuals increases as the poverty line is raised. At the 75 percent level, 52 percent of the poor were in such households, increasing to 63 percent at the 125 percent level.

Table J. PERSONS BELOW SPECIFIED LEVELS IN 1969, BY FAMILY STATUS AND RACE OF HEAD

Family status and race	Number (thousands)			Percent of poverty level	
	Below 75 percent of the poverty level	Below the poverty level	Below 125 percent of the poverty level	Below 75 percent of the poverty level	Below 125 percent of the poverty level
ALL PERSONS					
Total	14,621	24,289	34,875	60.2	143.6
In families	11,313	19,438	28,869	58.2	148.5
Head	2,905	4,950	7,272	58.7	146.9
Family members under 18 years[1]	5,855	9,821	14,325	59.6	145.9
Other family members	2,553	4,667	7,272	54.7	155.8
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	3,308	4,851	6,006	68.2	123.8
WHITE					
Total	9,693	16,671	24,568	58.1	147.4
In families	7,073	12,709	19,599	55.7	154.2
Head	2,006	3,555	5,363	56.4	150.9
Family members under 18 years[1]	3,258	5,777	8,885	56.4	153.8
Other family members	1,809	3,377	5,351	53.6	158.5
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	2,620	3,962	4,969	66.1	125.4
NEGRO					
Total	4,674	7,215	9,680	64.8	134.2
In families	4,049	6,409	8,747	63.2	136.5
Head	853	1,326	1,803	64.3	136.0
Family members under 18 years[1]	2,502	3,879	5,164	64.5	133.1
Other family members	694	1,204	1,780	57.6	147.8
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	625	806	933	77.5	115.8
WHITE AS A PERCENT OF ALL PERSONS					
Total	66.3	68.6	70.4	(X)	(X)
In families	62.5	65.4	67.9	(X)	(X)
Head	69.1	71.8	73.7	(X)	(X)
Family members under 18 years[1]	55.6	58.8	62.0	(X)	(X)
Other family members	70.9	72.4	73.6	(X)	(X)
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	79.2	81.7	82.7	(X)	(X)

X Not applicable.
[1]Other than head or wife.

Table K. PERSONS BELOW SPECIFIED LEVELS IN 1969, BY FAMILY STATUS AND SEX OF HEAD

Family status	Number (thousands)			Percent of poverty level	
	Below 75 percent of the poverty level	Below the poverty level	Below 125 percent of the poverty level	Below 75 percent of the poverty level	Below 125 percent of the poverty level
ALL PERSONS					
Total	14,621	24,289	34,875	60.2	143.6
In families	11,313	19,438	28,869	58.2	148.5
Head	2,905	4,950	7,272	58.7	146.9
Family members under 18 years[1]	5,855	9,821	14,325	59.6	145.9
Other family members	2,553	4,667	7,272	54.7	155.8
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	3,308	4,851	6,006	68.2	123.8
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD AND MALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS					
Total	7,565	13,819	21,787	54.7	157.7
In families	6,614	12,440	20,056	53.2	161.2
Head	1,704	3,146	4,967	54.2	157.9
Family members under 18 years[1]	2,827	5,444	8,995	51.9	165.2
Other family members	2,083	3,850	6,094	54.1	158.3
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	951	1,379	1,731	69.0	125.5
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD AND FEMALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS					
Total	7,056	10,470	13,090	67.4	125.0
In families	4,699	6,998	8,814	67.1	126.0
Head	1,200	1,804	2,305	66.5	127.8
Family members under 18 years[1]	3,029	4,377	5,331	69.2	121.8
Other family members	470	817	1,178	57.5	144.2
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	2,357	3,472	4,276	67.9	123.2
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD AND MALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS AS A PERCENT OF ALL PERSONS					
Total	51.7	56.9	62.5	(X)	(X)
In families	58.5	64.0	69.5	(X)	(X)
Head	58.7	63.6	68.3	(X)	(X)
Family members under 18 years[1]	48.3	55.4	62.8	(X)	(X)
Other family members	81.6	82.5	83.8	(X)	(X)
Unrelated individuals	28.7	28.4	28.8	(X)	(X)

X Not applicable.
[1]Other than head or wife.

Related Reports

A detailed explanation of the revised poverty definition appears in Current Population Reports, Series P-23, No. 28, "Revision in Poverty Statistics, 1959 to 1968."

A detailed description of the original poverty index developed by the Social Security Administration appears in the following articles by Mollie Orshansky published in the Social Security Bulletin: "Counting the Poor: Another Look at the Poverty Profile," January 1965, and in "Who's Who Among the Poor: A Demographic View of Poverty," July 1965. For other related articles on poverty by Mollie Orshansky, see the Social Security Bulletin: "Recounting the Poor-A Five Year Review," April 1966; "More About the Poor in 1964," May 1966; "The Poor in City and Suburb, 1964," December 1966; and "The Shape of Poverty in 1966," March 1968.

Advanced data on the poor in 1969 cross-classified by selected characteristics appear in Current Population Reports, Series P-60, No. 71, "Poverty Continues to Decline in 1969," and P-20, No. 204, "Selected Characteristics of Persons and Families: March 1970."

Data based on the Current Population Survey showing the distribution of families, unrelated individuals, and persons, by income levels, have been published in the Series P-60 reports, numbers 1 to 53, 55 to 60, 62 to 66, 69, 70, and 72. Data on poverty based on the original poverty definition appear in Current Population Reports, Series P-60, No. 54, "The Extent of Poverty in the United States: 1959 to 1966." Comprehensive data on poor persons and families based on the revised definition of poverty appear in Series P-60, No. 68, "Poverty in the United States, 1959 to 1968."

The characteristics of persons and families residing in metropolitan and nonmetropolitan areas have been analyzed in Current Population Reports, Series P-23, No. 27, "Trends in Social and Economic Conditions in Metropolitan Areas," and P-23, No. 33, "Trends in Social and Economic Conditions in Metropolitan and Nonmetropolitan Areas."

Data on the characteristics of residents of metropolitan poverty areas have been published in Current Population Reports, Series P-23, No. 19, "Characteristics of Families Residing in Poverty Areas: March 1966," P-60, No. 61, "Characteristics of Families and Persons Living in Metropolitan Poverty Areas: 1967," and P-60, No. 67, "Socioeconomic Trends in Poverty Areas, 1960 to 1968." Statistics from the 1960 Census of Population for poverty and nonpoverty areas in each of the 100 standard metropolitan statistical areas with a population of 250,000 or more have been published in a 1960 Census of Population Supplementary Report, PC(S1)-54, entitled "Poverty Areas in the 100 Largest Metropolitan Areas."

Definitions and Explanations

Population coverage. This report excludes inmates of institutions. It includes only those members of the Armed Forces living off post or with their families on post.

Farm-nonfarm residence. The farm population refers to rural residents living on farms. The method of determining farm-nonfarm residence in the present survey is the same as that used in the 1960 census and in the Current Population Surveys since 1960, but differs from that used in earlier surveys and censuses. According to the current definitions, the farm population consists of all persons living in rural territory on places of less than 10 acres yielding agricultural products which sold for $250 or more in the previous year, or on places of 10 acres or more yielding agricultural products which sold for $50 or more in the previous year. Rural persons in institutions, motels, and tourist camps, and those living on rented places where no land is used for farming are not classified as farm population. The nonfarm population, as the term is used here, comprises persons living in urban areas and rural persons not on farms.

Metropolitan-nonmetropolitan residence. The population residing in standard metropolitan statistical areas (SMSA's) constitutes the metropolitan population. Except in New England, an SMSA is a county or group of contiguous counties which contains at least one city of 50,000 inhabitants or more, or "twin cities" with a combined population of at least 50,000. In addition to the county, or counties, containing such a city or cities, contiguous counties are included in an SMSA if, according to certain criteria, they are essentially metropolitan in character and are socially and economically integrated with the central city. In New England, SMSA's consist of towns and cities, rather than counties. The metropolitan population in this report is based on SMSA's as defined in the 1960 census and does not include any subsequent additions or changes.

Central cities. The population inside SMSA's is further classified as "in central cities" and "in suburban rings." With a few exceptions, central cities are determined according to the following criteria:

1. The largest city in an SMSA is always a central city.
2. One or two additional cities may be secondary central cities on the basis and in the order of the following criteria:
   a. The additional city or cities have at least 250,000 inhabitants.
   b. The additional city or cities have a population of one-third or more of that of the largest city and a minimum population of 25,000.

Geographic regions. The four major regions of the United States, for which data are presented in this report, represent groups of States, as follows:

Northeast: Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Vermont.

North Central: Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, Ohio, South Dakota, Wisconsin.

South: Alabama, Arkansas, Delaware, District of Columbia, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Mississippi, Maryland, North Carolina, Oklahoma, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, Virginia, West Virginia.

West: Arizona, Colorado, California, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, New Mexico, Oregon, Utah, Washington, Wyoming, Alaska, and Hawaii.

Income. For each person 14 years old and over in the sample, questions were asked on the amount of money income received in the preceding calendar year from each of the following sources: (1) Money wages or salary; (2) net income from nonfarm self-employment; (3) net income from farm self-employment; (4) Social Security; (5) dividends, interest (on savings or bonds), income from estates or trusts or net rental income; (6) public assistance or welfare payments; (7) unemployment compensation, government employee pensions, or veterans' payments; (8) private pensions, annuities, alimony, regular contributions from persons not living in this household, net royalties, and other periodic income.

The amounts received represent income before deductions for personal taxes, Social Security, bonds, etc. When an indefinite amount was reported by the respondent, a specific value was assigned during processing wherever possible. If the indefinite amount was reported in terms of a range, the midpoint of the range was assigned (i.e., $10,000 to $15,000 was coded as $12,500). Open-ended amounts were converted to designated specific amounts; e.g., over $10,000 was coded as $16,000.

It should be noted that although the income statistics refer to receipts during the preceding year the characteristics of the person, such as age, labor force status, etc., and the composition of families refer to the time of the survey. The income of the family does not include amounts received by persons who were members of the family during all or part of the income year if these persons no longer resided with the family at the time of enumeration. On the other hand, family income includes amounts reported by related persons who did not reside with the family during the income year but who were members of the family at the time of enumeration.

Data on consumer income collected by the Bureau of the Census cover money income (exclusive of certain money receipts such as capital gains) prior to deductions for taxes. The fact that many farm families receive part of their income in the form of rent-free housing and goods produced and consumed on the farm, rather than in money, should be taken into consideration in comparing the income of farm and nonfarm residents. It should be noted that nonmoney incomes are also received by some nonfarm residents. They often take the form of business expense accounts, use of business transportation and facilities, full or partial compensation by business for medical and educational expenses, etc. In analyzing size distributions of income, it should be recognized that capital gains tend to be concentrated more among higher income units than among lower ones.

Money wages or salary is total money earnings received for work performed as an employee during the income year. It includes wages, salary, Armed Forces pay, commissions, tips, piece-rate payments, and cash bonuses earned, before deductions were made for taxes, bonds, pensions, union dues, etc.

Net income from nonfarm self-employment is net money income (gross receipts minus expenses) from his own business, professional enterprise, or partnership. Gross receipts include the value of all goods sold and services rendered. Expenses include costs of goods purchased, rent, heat, light, power, depreciation charges, wages and salaries paid, business taxes (not personal income taxes), etc. The value of salable merchandise consumed by the proprietors of retail stores is not included as part of net income.

Net income from farm self-employment is net money income (gross receipts minus operating expenses) from the operation of a farm by a person on his own account, as an owner, renter, or sharecropper. Gross receipts include the value of all products sold, government crop loans, money received from the rental of farm equipment to others, and incidental receipts from the sale of wood, sand, gravel, etc. Operating expenses include cost of feed, fertilizer, seed, and other farming supplies, cash wages paid to farmhands, depreciation charges, cash rent, interest on farm mortgages, farm building repairs, farm taxes (not State and Federal income taxes), etc. The value of fuel, food, or other farm products used for family living is not included as part of net income. In general, inventory changes were not considered in determining net income; however, replies based on income tax returns of other official records do reflect inventory changes.

Social Security includes Social Security pensions and survivors' benefits, and permanent disability insurance payments made by the Social Security Administration prior to deductions for medical insurance and railroad retirement insurance checks from the U.S. Government.

Dividends, interest (on savings or bonds), income from estates or trusts, or net rental income includes dividends from stockholdings or membership in associations, interest on savings or bonds, periodic receipts from estates or trust funds, net income from rental of a house, store, or other property to others, and receipts from boarders or lodgers.

Public assistance or welfare payments include public assistance payments such as old-age assistance, aid to families with dependent children, and aid to the blind or totally disabled.

Unemployment compensation, government employee pensions, or veterans' payments include: (1) Unemployment compensation received from government unemployment insurance agencies or private companies during periods of unemployment and any strike benefits received from union funds; (2) government employee pensions received from retirement pensions paid by Federal, State, county, or other governmental agencies to former employees (including members of the Armed Forces) or their survivors; (3) money paid periodically by the Veterans' Administration to disabled members of the Armed Forces or to survivors of deceased veterans, subsistence allowances paid to veterans for education and on-the-job training, as well as so-called "refunds" paid to ex-servicemen as GI insurance premiums; also includes (4) workmen's compensation received periodically from public or private insurance companies for injuries incurred at work. The cost of this insurance must have been paid by the employer and not by the person.

Private pensions, annuities, alimony, regular contributions from persons not living in the household, royalties, and other periodic income include the following types of income: (1) Private pensions or retirement benefits paid to a retired person or his survivors by a former employer or by a union, either directly or through an insurance company; (2) periodic receipts from annuities or insurance; (3) alimony and child support; (4) contributions received periodically from persons not living in the household; (5) net royalities; and (6) other periodic income such as military family allotments, net gambling winnings, and other kinds of periodic income other than earnings.

Receipts not counted as income. Receipts from the following sources were not included as income: (1) Money received from the sale of property, such as stocks, bonds, a house, or a car (unless the person was engaged in the business of selling such property, in which case the net proceeds would be counted as income from self-employment); (2) withdrawals of bank deposits; (3) money borrowed; (4) tax refunds; (5) gifts; and (6) lump-sum inheritances or insurance payments.

All sources of income may be combined into two major types:

Total money earnings--the algebraic sum of money wages or salary and net income from farm and nonfarm self-employment; and

Income other than earnings--the algebraic sum of all sources of money income except wages and salaries and income from self-employment.

Total money income. The algebraic sum of money wages and salaries, net income from self-employment, and income other than earnings represents total money income. The total income of a family is the algebraic sum of the amounts received by all income recipients in the family.

The income tables for families and unrelated individuals include in the lowest income group (under $1,000) those that were classified as having no income in the income year and those reporting a loss in net income from farm and nonfarm self-employment or in rental income. Many of these were living on income "in kind," savings, or gifts; or were newly constituted families, unrelated individuals who had recently left families, or families in which the sole breadwinner had recently died or had left the household. However, many of the families and unrelated individuals who reported no income probably had some money income which was not recorded in the survey.

Median income. The median income is the amount which divides the distribution into two equal groups, one having incomes above the median, and the other having incomes below the median.

Mean income. The mean income is the amount obtained by dividing the total income of a group by the number of families or unrelated individuals (as appropriate) in that group.

Income per family member. The income per family member is the average amount of income available to every man, woman, and child in a family. Income per family member is derived by dividing the total family income of a group by the number of family members in the same group.

The Poverty Definition. Poverty statistics presented in Census Bureau reports prior to publication of Current Population Reports, Series P-60, No. 68, "Poverty in the United States, 1959 to 1968," were based on the poverty index developed by the

Social Security Administration (SSA) in 1964.[1] This index provided a range of poverty income cutoffs adjusted by such factors as family size, sex of the family head, number of children under 18 years old, and farm-nonfarm residence. At the core of this definition of poverty was a nutritionally adequate food plan ("economy" plan) designed by the Department of Agriculture for "emergency or temporary use when funds are low." The SSA poverty cutoffs also took into account differences in the cost of living between farm and nonfarm families. Annual revisions of the poverty income cutoffs were based on price changes of the items in the economy food budget.

As a result of deliberations of a Federal Interagency Committee in 1969, the following two modifications to the original SSA definition of poverty were recommended: (1) that the SSA poverty thresholds for nonfarm families be retained for the base year 1963, but that annual adjustments in the levels be based on changes in the Consumer Price Index (CPI) rather than on changes in the cost of food included in the economy food plan; and (2) that the farm poverty thresholds be raised from 70 to 85 percent of the corresponding nonfarm levels. The combined impact of these two modifications resulted in an increase of 360,000 poor families and 1.6 million poor persons in 1967. The reasons for making these changes are outlined below.

Change in cost of living adjustment. Annual revisions of the SSA poverty thresholds were based only on the average per capita cost of the foods in the economy food budget. This method of updating the poverty cutoffs did not fully reflect increases in the overall cost of living during the 1960's. The pace at which the general cost of living advanced in recent years was not uniformly matched by increases in the price of goods in the economy food plan. Thus, general price changes since 1959 were not paralleled by comparable changes in the poverty thresholds.

The differences between changes in the cost of the economy food budget and the overall cost of living led to the adoption of the CPI as the basis for annual revisions in the poverty cutoffs. Although the CPI is not designed to measure the changing market conditions faced solely by poor families, it does reflect the fact that prices of food and nonfood commoidities do not always advance at the same rate. Employing the CPI to adjust the poverty thresholds annually has another advantage over the earlier adjustment technique. Although the economy food plan is repriced annually, the data are not published regularly but are available only on request. The CPI, on the other hand, is regularly published and is a generally accepted measure of changes in the "cost of living." In 1969, the poverty thresholds ranged from $1,757 for an unrelated individual 65 years old and over to $6,101 for a family with seven or more persons (table L). The average poverty threshold for a nonfarm family of four headed by a male was $3,745.

[1]For a detailed discussion of the SSA poverty standards, see Mollie Orshansky, "Counting the Poor: Another Look at the Poverty Profile," Social Security Bulletin, January 1965; and "Who's Who Among the Poor: A Demographic View of Poverty," Social Security Bulletin, July 1965.

Table L. WEIGHTED AVERAGE THRESHOLDS AT THE POVERTY LEVEL IN 1969, BY SIZE OF FAMILY AND SEX OF HEAD, BY FARM-NONFARM RESIDENCE

Number of family members	Total	Nonfarm			Farm		
		Total	Male head	Female head	Total	Male head	Female head
1 member	$1,834	$1,840	$1,923	$1,792	$1,569	$1,607	$1,512
Under 65 years	1,888	1,893	1,974	1,826	1,641	1,678	1,552
65 years and over	1,749	1,757	1,773	1,751	1,498	1,508	1,487
2 members	2,364	2,383	2,394	2,320	2,012	2,017	1,931
Head under 65 years	2,441	2,458	2,473	2,373	2,093	2,100	1,984
Head 65 years and over	2,194	2,215	2,217	2,202	1,882	1,883	1,861
3 members	2,905	2,924	2,937	2,830	2,480	2,485	2,395
4 members	3,721	3,743	3,745	3,725	3,195	3,197	3,159
5 members	4,386	4,415	4,418	4,377	3,769	3,770	3,761
6 members	4,921	4,958	4,962	4,917	4,244	4,245	4,205
7 or more members	6,034	6,101	6,116	5,952	5,182	5,185	5,129

Change in the farm-nonfarm relationship. Under the old definition, the poverty thresholds for farm families were adjusted for the average value of food consumed by these families which they had grown themselves. The poverty cutoffs for farm families were established at 70 percent of the nonfarm levels based on a 1961 study of household consumption which indicated that the value of food produced by farm families for home use amounted to about 30 percent of their total food budget.

Up to the present time, no entirely satisfactory means of determining the income required for equivalent levels of living for farm and nonfarm families has been provided by studies on this subject. Further research is needed to analyze the differences in the costs between farm and nonfarm families. Although it is not yet possible to quantify exactly all the factors contributing to cost of living differences between farm and nonfarm families, research already completed suggests that the differences are not as great as provided for by the 70 percent differential. After weighing the available evidence, the Review Committee agreed that narrowing the farm-nonfarm differential to 85 percent more nearly reflects the overall cost of living differences between farm and nonfarm families than the previously used differential.

Alternate poverty levels. Because the poverty levels currently in use by the Federal Government do not meet all the needs of the analysts of the data, two variations of the poverty definition were introduced at the same time that modifications were made to the SSA poverty index--one is set at 75 percent of the official government standard and the other at 125 percent of this standard. Some data, based on these two alternate poverty levels, are presented in tables J and K of this report. However, all the data presented in the detailed tables of Current Population Reports, Series P-60, No. 68, "Poverty in the United States, 1959 to 1968" have been tabulated for these additional levels. Requests for these unpublished data, giving a specific description of the figures desired, may be made in writing to the Chief, Population Division, Bureau of the Census, Washington, D.C. 20233.

Weighted average thresholds at the poverty level. The poverty cutoffs used by the Bureau of the Census to determine the poverty status of families and unrelated individuals consist of a set of 252 thresholds arranged in a four-dimensional matrix consisting of family size (from one person to seven or more persons) cross-classified by presence and number of family members under 18 years old (from no children present to six or more children present), sex of head, and farm-nonfarm residence. The one- and two-person families are further differentiated by age of head (under 65 years and 65 years and over). The total family income of each family in the sample is tested against the appropriate poverty threshold to determine the poverty status of that family. (If the family's total income is less than its corresponding poverty cutoff, the family is classified as poor. Otherwise, it is classified as nonpoor.) The average thresholds shown in table L, however, were weighted by the presence and number of children. For example, for a given size of family, sex of head, and residence category, the weighted average threshold for that group is obtained by multiplying the dollar amount for each presence and number of children category within the given family size by the number of families in that category. These products are then aggregated across the entire range of presence and number of children categories, and the total aggregate is divided by the total number of families in the group to yield the weighted average threshold at the poverty level for that size of family.

Because family composition varies by farm-nonfarm residence, the weighted average thresholds at the poverty level for farm families, as shown in table L, will not be exactly 85 percent of the nonfarm levels. Moreover, since family composition does not remain constant from year to year, the weighted average thresholds for 1969 will not reflect, identically, the change in the CPI between 1969 and earlier years.

Since the basic thresholds used to determine the poverty status of families and unrelated individuals are applied to all families and unrelated individuals, the weighted poverty thresholds are derived using all families and unrelated individuals rather than just those families and unrelated individuals classified as poor. Consequently, to obtain the weighted poverty thresholds for families and unrelated individuals below 75 percent and below 125 percent of the poverty level, the weighted poverty thresholds shown in table L may be multiplied directly by 0.75 and 1.25, respectively.

Poverty gap. The poverty gap is the difference between the total income of families and unrelated individuals below the poverty level, and their respective poverty thresholds. In computing the income deficit, families reporting a net income loss are assigned zero dollars and for such cases the poverty gap is equal to the poverty threshold. This measure provides an estimate of the amount which would be required to raise the incomes of all poor families and unrelated individuals to their respective poverty thresholds.

Median income deficit of the poor. The median income deficit is the amount which divides the distribution into two equal groups, one having an income deficit above the median, and the other having an income deficit below the median.

Mean income deficit of the poor. The mean income deficit is the amount obtained by dividing the total income deficit of a group below the poverty level by the number of families or unrelated individuals, (as appropriate) in that group.

Deficit per family member. The deficit per family member is the average amount of money necessary to raise every man, woman, and child in a family out of poverty. The deficit per family member is derived by dividing the total family income deficit of a group by the number of family members in the same group.

Family. The term "family," as used in this report, refers to a group of two or more persons related by blood, marriage, or adoption and residing together; all such persons are considered as members of the same family. Thus, if the son of the head of the household and the son's wife are in the household, they are treated as part of the head's family. On the other hand, a lodger and his wife not related to the head of the household or an unrelated servant and his wife are considered as additional families, and not a part of the household head's family.

Head of family. One person in each family was designated as the head. The head of a family is usually the person regarded as the head by members of the family. Women are not classified as heads if their husbands are resident members of the family at the time of the survey. Married couples related to the head of a family are included in the head's family and are not classified as separate families.

Size of family. The term "size of family" refers to the number of persons who are living together and are related to each other by blood, marriage, or adoption.

Unrelated individual. The term "unrelated individuals," as used in this report, refers to persons 14 years old and over (other than inmates of institutions) who are not living with any relatives. An unrelated individual may constitute a one-person household by himself, or he may be part of a household including one or more other families or unrelated individuals, or he may reside in group quarters such as a rooming house. Thus, a widow living by herself or with one or more other persons not related to her, a lodger not related to the head of the household or to anyone else in the household, and a servant living in an employer's household with no relatives are examples of unrelated individuals.

Own children. "Own" children in a family are sons and daughters, including step children and adopted children, of the family head.

Family members under 18 years old. Persons in families, other than the head or wife, who were under 18 years old and who were related to the head of the family by blood, marriage, or adoption, were classified as family members under 18 years old. This concept differs from the previously used concept of related children under 18 years of age, which was defined as all single (never married) persons under 18 years old in families who were related to the head of the family by blood, marriage, or adoption, in that the family members under 18 concept is not restricted by marital status.

Number of earners. This number includes all persons in the family with $1 or more in wages and salaries, or $1 or more or a loss in net income from farm or nonfarm self-employment.

Age. The age classification is based on the age of the person at his last birthday.

Race. The population is divided into three groups on the basis of race: white, Negro, and "other races." The last category includes Indians, Japanese, Chinese, and any other race except white and Negro. "Other races" are usually shown in combination with the Negro population.

Years of school completed. Data on years of school completed in this report were derived from the combination of answers to questions concerning the highest grade of school attended by the person and whether or not that grade was finished. The questions on educational attainment apply only to progress in "regular" schools. Such schools include graded public, private, and parochial elementary and high schools (both junior and senior high), colleges, universities, and professional schools, whether day schools or night schools. Thus, regular schooling is that which may advance a person toward an elementary school certificate or a high school diploma, or a college, university, or professional school degree. Schooling in other than regular schools was counted only if the credits obtained were regarded as transferable to a school in the regular school system.

The median years of school completed is defined as the value which divides the distribution into two equal groups, one having completed more schooling and one having completed less schooling than the median. These medians are expressed in terms of

a continuous series of numbers representing years of school completed. For example, a median of 9.0 represents the completion of the first year of high school and a median of 13.0 means completion of the first year of college.

Labor force and employment status. The definitions of labor force and employment status in this report relate to family heads and unrelated individuals 14 years old and over.

Employed. Employed persons comprise (1) all civilians who, during the specified week, did any work at all as paid employees or in their own business or profession, or on their own farm, or who worked 15 hours or more as unpaid workers on a farm or in a business operated by a member of the family, and (2) all those who were not working but who had jobs or businesses from which they were temporarily absent because of illness, bad weather, vacation, or labor-management dispute, or because they were taking time off for personal reasons, whether or not they were paid by their employers for time off, and whether or not they were seeking other jobs. Excluded from the employed group are persons whose only activity consisted of work around the house (such as own home housework, painting or repairing own home, etc.) or volunteer work for religious, charitable, and similar organizations.

Unemployed. Unemployed persons are those civilians who, during the survey week, had no employment but were available for work and (1) had engaged in any specific jobseeking activity within the past 4 weeks, such as registering at a public or private employment office, meeting with prospective employers, checking with friends or relatives, placing or answering advertisements, writing letters of application, or being on a union or professional register; (2) were waiting to be called back to a job from which they had been laid off; or (3) were waiting to report to a new wage or salary job within 30 days.

Labor force. Persons are classified as in the labor force if they were employed as civilians, unemployed, or in the Armed Forces during the survey week. The "civilian labor force" is comprised of all civilians classified as employed or unemployed.

Not in the labor force. All civilians 14 years old and over who are not classified as employed or unemployed are defined as "not in the labor force." This group who are neither employed nor seeking work includes persons engaged only in own home housework, attending school, or unable to work because of long-term physical or mental illness; persons who are retired or too old to work; seasonal workers for whom the survey week fell in an off season; and the voluntarily idle. Persons doing only unpaid family work (less than 15 hours) are also classified as not in the labor force.

Occupation of longest job. Persons are classified according to the civilian job held longest during the year. Persons who held two jobs or more were reported in the job at which they worked the greatest number of weeks.

Work experience. A person with work experience is one who, during the preceding calendar year, did any civilian work for pay or profit or worked without pay on a family-operated farm or business at any time during the year, on a part-time or full-time basis.

Weeks worked in the income year. Persons are classified according to the number of different weeks during the preceding calendar year in which they did any civilian work for pay or profit (including paid vacations and sick leave) or worked without pay on a family-operated farm or business.

Part-time or full-time jobs. A person is classified as having worked at part-time jobs during the preceding calendar year if he worked at civilian jobs which provided less than 35 hours of work per week in a majority of the weeks in which he worked during the year. He is classified as having worked at full-time jobs if he worked 35 hours or more per week during a majority of the weeks in which he worked.

Year-round full-time worker. A year-round full-time worker is one who worked primarily at full-time civilian jobs (35 hours or more per week) for 50 weeks or more during the preceding calendar year.

Nonworker. A nonworker is one who did not do any civilian work in the calendar year preceding the survey.

Main reason for working part year. For persons who worked 1 to 49 weeks during the year, the main reason for working part year is based on the response to the question "What were you doing most of the remaining weeks?"

Main reason for not working. For persons who reported that they did not work at a civilian job for pay or profit or on a family-operated farm or business during the year, the main reason for not working is derived from the response to the question "What were you doing most of last year?"

Rounding. Percentages are rounded to the nearest tenth of a percent; therefore, the percentages in a distribution do not always add to exactly 100.0 percent. The totals, however, are always shown as 100.0.

Base figures. An estimate of the size of the base (number of persons, number of families, etc.) of each percent is shown in most of the tables in this report. The base figures shown in this report were prepared by inflating weighted sample results to agree with independent estimates of the population based on statistics updated from the 1960 census.

Nonresponses and Allocations

In the March 1970 CPS, no information was recorded for approximately 5 percent of the 50,000 households because no interview could be obtained during the week in which the enumeration was conducted. In order to account for these households, the weights assigned to other sample households of similar characteristics residing in the same sample areas were increased accordingly. In addition, complete income information was not reported for about 14 percent of all families and 11 percent of unrelated individuals 14 years old or over. Overall, about 10 percent of all persons 14 years old and over in households that were interviewed did not report complete income information.

In order that the maximum amount of information can be utilized, missing income items are imputed or allocated by values which are obtained from active respondents with similar economic and demographic characteristics. Beginning with the March 1962 survey, when a respondent did not answer one or more of the income items, all of his income data were imputed.

Beginning with the March 1966 survey, however, in the event a respondent did not answer one or more of the income questions, the missing income data for this person were imputed for only those income items which were not answered. Each of the earnings items was handled individually, whereas income items other than earnings were handled as a group. Characteristics used in this imputation are age, family status, race, residence, weeks worked, and major occupation group. The income amount assigned to a nonrespondent is that observed for another person with similar demographic and economic characteristics who did respond and who has been selected systematically in the order in which individual records are processed.

In the tabulation of income from surveys prior to 1962, the distributions by income levels had been based only on those cases which reported complete income information. The assumption implicit in this method was that persons who do not provide income information have the same income distribution as those who do provide such information. Using income data for 1958, a comparison was made of the income distributions obtained before and after the assignment of income to nonrespondents on the basis of known demographic and economic characteristics. This comparison indicated that the procedure for making individual assignments of income to nonrespondents resulted in slightly higher estimates of the proportion of families and individuals in the upper income classes than those obtained from the distributions based solely on those reporting on income. (See Current Population Reports, Series P-60, No. 33, tables F and G.)

Beginning with the 1967 CPS, the Bureau of the Census introduced improved income edit and allocation procedures. The main feature of the new procedures is a more refined method for imputing missing income data which expands the use of information already known about that person. Among the major improvements made affecting the income data are the following: (1) an expanded set of social and economic characteristics within which the imputations are made; in addition to age, race, occupation, and weeks worked, the new procedures include sex and type of family member as major variables within which the missing income items are imputed; (2) the elimination of inconsistent reporting which resulted in having workers with no earnings and earners with no weeks worked; and (3) the new imputation procedure assigns missing earnings entries first and then utilizes the earnings information to assign missing sources of income other than earnings.

However, because of coding errors in the processing of the 1968 CPS data, in that year alone it was not possible to apply all the aforementioned improvements to the editing and allocation procedures. Since these errors produced an underestimate of income, they had the effect of overstating the number of poor families by about 175,000 and the number of poor persons by approximately 450,000. In addition, it was discovered that the computer procedures for editing certain incorrect income codes caused an upward bias in the income data for some respondents and therefore would tend to produce an underestimate of the number of poor. The impact of this faulty editing procedure has not yet been fully documented. Due to errors affecting the income data for 1967, poverty data for that year are not strictly comparable with those shown for 1966, 1968, and 1969.

Comparison of 1966 poverty data according to original and revised editing and allocation procedures. In order to evaluate the impact of the new procedures, the poverty data from the March 1967 CPS were rerun, thus providing a bridge for the 1966 income year showing the results of both the earlier and the new procedures. Both series of data are shown in table 1. The general impact of the new allocation procedure was to shift the income distribution slightly upward, thus decreasing by 416,000 the number of families below the poverty level. A more detailed description of the new computer editing and allocation procedures may be found in Current Population Reports, Series P-60, No. 59, "Income in 1967 of Families in the United States," pages 17 to 19.

Modifications in collecting income data in the March-April 1969 CPS. Several modifications were introduced in the collection of income data in the March and April CPS supplements. These include (1) extension of the interview period of the six rotation groups for which income questions were asked in March and the use of followup forms in these six groups to accommodate household respondents who needed more time to obtain the required income information (it is estimated that some members of approximately 4,400 households, or 9 percent of the total relevant households, made use of these followup forms); (2) modification of the design and content of the questionnaire to allow for more detailed questioning of certain income items; thus, boxes for gross receipts, business expense, and net income have been added to the self-employment income questions to help the interviewer and respondent determine net income, and "yes-no" circles were added to the questions on income other than earnings in order to ascertain whether the respondent received or did not receive income; (3) field office editing procedures were extended to a 100-percent income edit of the CPS schedules; (4) training instructions were strengthened by including more detailed explanations and more examples; and (5) the interview group training session was shifted from February to March.

Modifications in collecting income data in the March 1970 Current Population Survey. The Bureau introduced modifications in the collection of income data for the March 1970 CPS supplement. These were: (1) An advance letter informing households about the collection of income data was mailed to all households except those in the first and fifth months. The latter households received special letters which explained the need for collecting both CPS and census data; (2) information on work experience and income was collected simultaneously for the full sample (in previous years, work experience information was collected separately from income data); (3) the interview period was extended one week for three-fourths of the sample (using followup calls and separate questionnaires). In addition, modified procedures which were incorporated in the March 1969 CPS supplement were also implemented in the March 1970 CPS. Overall, data indicate that the use of these procedures has resulted in some improvement in the collection of income data. The family income nonresponse rate has not only dropped by 5 percentage points (from 19 to 14 percent) but also it appears that the proportion of aggregate income amounts collected in the March 1970 CPS relative to benchmark totals have increased slightly in the March 1970 CPS supplement as compared with the proportion collected in the March 1969 CPS supplement. Although nonresponse rates for families by poverty status are not available, it is known that families in the lower income intervals tend to have lower nonresponse rates than those in the middle and upper income intervals.[2] This is due in part to the fact that lower income families have less complicated financial arrangements than those in other income groups. There is also some evidence that the information on income and work experience is more consistent than previous information. Detailed results will be published at a later date.

Source and Reliability of the Estimates

Source of data. The estimates for the United States are based on data obtained in the Current Population Survey of the Bureau of the Census. For 1969 and 1970 the sample is spread over 449 areas comprising 863 counties and independent cities, with coverage in each of the 50 States and the District of Columbia. Approximately 50,000 households are eligible in the Current Population Survey for interview each month. Of this number, 2,250 occupied units, on the average, are visited but interviews are not obtained because the occupants are not found at home after repeated calls or are unavailable for some other reason. In addition to the 50,000, there are also about 8,500 sample units in an average month which are visited but are found to be vacant or otherwise not to be enumerated. For the years prior to 1967, the sample was spread over fewer areas with fewer interviewed households. Prior to the March 1966 survey, income data were collected from only 75 percent of the households included in the CPS. See Current Population Reports, Series P-23, No. 22, "Concepts and Methods Used in Manpower Statistics from the Current Population Survey," June 1967, pp. 7-10, for more information about the sample design.

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[2]For a more detailed discussion of this topic see paper by Mitsuo Ono and Herman P. Miller, "Income Nonresponses in the Current Population Survey," Published in Proceedings of the Social Statistics Section, American Statistical Association, 1969.

The estimation procedure used in this survey involved the inflation of the weighted sample results to independent estimates of the civilian noninstitutional population of the United States by age, race, and sex. These independent estimates were based on statistics from the 1960 Census of Population; statistics of births, deaths, immigration, and emigration; and statistics on the strength of the Armed Forces. To these totals were added the population in the Armed Forces living off post or with their families on post. A further adjustment was made so that all members of a household got the same weight while at the same time leaving unchanged the estimates for certain basic labor force categories.

Reliability of the estimates. Since the estimates in this report are based on a sample, they differ somewhat from the figures that would have been obtained from a complete census, using the same schedules, instructions, and enumerators. Particular care should be exercised in the interpretation of figures based on relatively small numbers of cases as well as small differences between figures. As in any survey work, the results are subject to errors of response and nonreporting and to sampling variability.

In most cases the schedule entries for income are based on memory rather than on records, and in the majority of cases on the memory or knowledge of one person, usually the wife of the family head. The memory factor in data derived from field surveys of income probably produces under-estimates because the tendency is to forget minor or irregular sources of income. Other errors of reporting are due to misrepresentation or to misunderstanding as to the scope of the income concept.

The standard error is primarily a measure of sampling variability, that is, of the variations that occur by chance because a sample rather than the entire population is surveyed. As calculated for this report, the standard error also partially measures the effect of response and enumeration errors, but it does not measure, as such, any systematic biases in the data. The chances are about 68 out of 100 that an estimate from the sample would differ from a complete census figure by less than the standard error. The chances are about 95 out of 100 that the difference would be less than twice the standard error.

To show comparable poverty data for 1969 and 1959 by detailed type of residence, it was necessary to use data from the 1960 census rather than from the 1960 Current Population Survey (CPS). In the text, tables based on 1960 census data are identified as such; other tables for 1959 are based on 1960 CPS data. The type of residence classification used in the 1960 CPS was based on data from the 1950 census. Therefore, to achieve comparability with March 1970 CPS data, special tabulations of poverty data from the 53,000 households in a 1-in-1,000 sample of 1950 census data were prepared. These tabulations were designed to eliminate conceptual differences between 1960 census data and the 1970 CPS data. However, it should be noted that the data obtained from CPS and from the decennial censuses are still not totally comparable, due in large part to differences in interviewer experience and in the training of interviewers, and accounts for an additional component of error which is not reflected in the standard error tables.

The figures presented in tables M, N, O, P, Q, and R are approximations to the standard errors of various estimates shown in this report. In order to derive standard errors that would be applicable to a wide variety of items and could be prepared at a moderate cost, a number of approximations were required. As a result, the tables of standard errors provide an indication of the order of magnitude of the standard errors rather than the precise standard error for any specific item.

Table M contains the standard errors of estimates of the number of persons in a given class, for the years 1968 and 1969. Table N contains the standard errors of estimates of the number of families in a given class, for the years 1968 and 1969. Table N should also be used for items which can typically appear only once in a given family, as for example, "Number of female heads of family." Table O contains the standard errors of estimates of the number in a given class, for data obtained from the 1-in-1,000 sample of the 1960 census.

Table M. STANDARD ERRORS OF ESTIMATED NUMBERS OF PERSONS FOR 1968 AND 1969 BASED ON CPS DATA

(68 chances out of 100)

Size of estimate	Standard error	Size of estimate	Standard error
10,000.....	5,000	1,000,000.....	46,000
25,000.....	7,000	2,500,000.....	73,000
50,000.....	10,000	5,000,000.....	104,000
100,000.....	15,000	10,000,000.....	146,000
250,000.....	23,000	25,000,000.....	230,000
500,000.....	33,000	50,000,000.....	325,000

Note: To estimate standard errors for CPS data for 1959, multiply these standard errors by 1.4.

Table N. STANDARD ERRORS OF ESTIMATED NUMBERS OF FAMILIES FOR 1968 AND 1969 BASED ON CPS DATA

(68 chances out of 100)

Size of estimate	Standard error	Size of estimate	Standard error
10,000.....	5,000	1,000,000.....	47,000
25,000.....	8,000	2,500,000.....	74,000
50,000.....	10,000	5,000,000.....	104,000
100,000.....	15,000	10,000,000.....	145,000
250,000.....	24,000	25,000,000.....	215,000
500,000.....	34,000	50,000,000.....	270,000

Note: To estimate standard errors for CPS data for 1959, multiply these standard errors by 1.4.

Table O. STANDARD ERRORS OF ESTIMATED TOTALS FOR 1959 BASED ON 1-IN-1,000 SAMPLE OF 1960 CENSUS

(68 chances out of 100)

Size of estimate	Standard error	Size of estimate	Standard error
25,000.....	6,000	2,500,000.....	85,000
50,000.....	12,000	5,000,000.....	119,000
100,000.....	17,000	10,000,000....	167,000
250,000.....	27,000	25,000,000....	259,000
500,000.....	38,000	50,000,000....	352,000
1,000,000....	54,000		

The reliability of an estimated percentage, computed by using sample data for both numerator and denominator, depends upon both the size of the percentage and the size of the total upon which the percentage is based. Estimated percentages are relatively more reliable than the corresponding absolute estimates of the numerator of the percentage, particularly if the percent is large (50 percent or greater).

Table P shows the standard errors of estimated percentages of persons for the years 1968 and 1969. The guide lines used to decide whether table M or table N is appropriate for a particular item should also be used for deciding between the use of tables P and Q. Table R shows the standard errors of estimated percentages for data from the 1-in-1,000 sample of the 1960 census.

Table P. STANDARD ERRORS OF ESTIMATED PERCENTAGES OF PERSONS FOR 1968 AND 1969 BASED ON CPS DATA

(68 chances out of 100)

Estimated percentage	Base of estimated percentage (thousands)							
	250	500	1,000	2,500	5,000	10,000	25,000	50,000
2 or 98.....	1.4	1.0	0.7	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.1
5 or 95.....	2.2	1.6	1.1	0.7	0.5	0.4	0.2	0.1
10 or 90.....	3.0	2.1	1.5	1.0	0.7	0.5	0.3	0.2
25 or 75.....	4.4	3.1	2.2	1.4	1.0	0.7	0.4	0.3
50.....	5.1	3.5	2.5	1.6	1.1	0.8	0.5	0.4

Note: To estimate standard errors for CPS data for 1959, multiply these standard errors by 1.4.

Table Q. STANDARD ERRORS OF ESTIMATED PERCENTAGES OF FAMILIES FOR 1968 AND 1969 BASED ON CPS DATA

(68 chances out of 100)

Estimated percentage	Base of estimated percentage (thousands)							
	250	500	1,000	2,500	5,000	10,000	25,000	50,000
2 or 98.....	1.3	0.9	0.6	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.1
5 or 95.....	2.0	1.4	1.0	0.6	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.1
10 or 90.....	2.7	1.9	1.3	0.8	0.6	0.4	0.3	0.2
25 or 75.....	3.9	2.8	2.0	1.3	0.8	0.6	0.4	0.3
50.....	4.5	3.2	2.3	1.4	1.0	0.7	0.4	0.4

Note: To estimate standard errors for CPS data for 1959, multiply these standard errors by 1.4.

Table R. STANDARD ERRORS OF ESTIMATED PERCENTAGES FOR 1959 BASED ON 1-IN-1,000 SAMPLE OF 1960 CENSUS

(68 chances out of 100)

Estimated percentage	Base of estimated percentage (thousands)									
	100	250	500	1,000	2,500	5,000	10,000	25,000	50,000	100,000
1 or 99	1.7	1.1	0.8	0.5	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1
2 or 98	2.4	1.5	1.1	0.8	0.5	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1
5 or 95	3.7	2.3	1.7	1.2	0.7	0.5	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.1
10 or 90	5.1	3.2	2.3	1.6	1.0	0.7	0.5	0.3	0.2	0.2
25 or 75	7.4	4.7	3.3	2.3	1.5	1.0	0.7	0.5	0.3	0.2
50	8.5	5.4	3.8	2.7	1.7	1.2	0.8	0.5	0.4	0.3

Standard errors for CPS data for 1959 can be approximated by multiplying the appropriate 1969 table entry by 1.4.

Illustration of the use of table of standard errors. Table A of this report shows that in 1969, there were 7,618,000 persons of Negro and other races below the poverty level. Table M shows the standard error on an estimate of this size to be approximately 126,000. The chances are 68 out of 100 that the estimate would have been a figure differing from a complete census by less than 126,000. The chances are 95 out of 100 that the estimate would have been a figure differing from a complete census by less than 252,000 (twice the standard error).

Of these 7,618,000, 889,000, or 11.7 percent, are unrelated individuals 14 years and over. Table P shows the standard error of 11.7 percent on a base of 7,618,000 to be approximately 0.6 percent. Consequently, chances are 68 out of 100 that the estimated 11.7 percent would be within 0.6 percentage points of a complete census figure, and chances are 95 out of 100 that the estimate would be within 1.2 percentage points of a census figure, i.e., this 95 percent confidence interval would be between 10.5 and 12.9 percent.

Table 1. PERSONS BELOW POVERTY LEVEL IN 1959 TO 1969, BY FAMILY STATUS AND SEX AND RACE OF HEAD

(Numbers in thousands. Persons as of March of the following year)

Family status and race	1969[r]	1968[r]	1967[r1]	1966[r]	1966	1965	1964	1963	1962	1961	1960	1959
All Persons in Families and Unrelated Individuals												
Total	24,289	25,389	27,769	28,510	30,424	33,185	36,055	36,436	38,625	39,628	39,851	39,490
In families	19,438	20,695	22,771	23,809	25,614	28,358	30,912	31,498	33,623	34,509	34,925	34,562
Head	4,950	5,047	5,667	5,784	6,200	6,721	7,160	7,554	8,077	8,391	8,243	8,320
Family members under 18 years[2]	9,821	10,739	11,427	12,146	12,876	14,388	15,736	15,691	16,630	16,577	17,288	17,208
Other family members	4,667	4,909	5,677	5,879	6,538	7,249	8,016	8,253	8,916	9,541	9,394	9,034
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	4,851	4,694	4,998	4,701	4,810	4,827	5,143	4,938	5,002	5,119	4,926	4,928
White	16,671	17,395	18,983	19,290	20,751	22,496	24,957	25,238	26,672	27,890	28,309	28,484
In families	12,709	13,546	14,851	15,430	16,732	18,508	20,716	21,149	22,613	23,747	24,262	24,443
Head	3,555	3,616	4,056	4,106	4,481	4,824	5,258	5,466	5,887	6,205	6,115	6,185
Family members under 18 years[2]	5,777	6,373	6,729	7,204	7,649	8,595	9,573	9,749	10,382	10,614	11,229	11,386
Other family members	3,377	3,557	4,066	4,120	4,602	5,089	5,885	5,934	6,344	6,928	6,918	6,872
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	3,962	3,849	4,132	3,860	4,019	3,988	4,241	4,089	4,059	4,143	4,047	4,041
Negro and other races	7,618	7,994	8,786	9,220	9,673	10,689	11,098	11,198	11,953	11,738	11,542	11,006
In families	6,729	7,149	7,920	8,379	8,882	9,850	10,196	10,349	11,010	10,762	10,663	10,119
Head	1,395	1,431	1,611	1,678	1,719	1,897	1,902	2,088	2,190	2,186	2,128	2,135
Family members under 18 years[2]	4,044	4,366	4,698	4,942	5,227	5,793	6,163	5,942	6,248	5,963	6,059	5,822
Other family members	1,290	1,352	1,611	1,759	1,936	2,160	2,131	2,319	2,572	2,613	2,476	2,162
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	889	845	866	841	791	839	902	849	943	976	879	887
Persons in Families With Male Head and Male Unrelated Individuals												
Total	13,819	15,025	17,178	18,260	19,579	22,127	25,084	25,339	27,394	28,830	29,188	29,100
In families	12,440	13,705	15,873	16,948	18,314	20,834	23,615	23,852	25,842	27,257	27,678	27,548
Head	3,146	3,292	3,893	4,063	4,384	4,805	5,338	5,582	6,043	6,437	6,288	6,404
Family members under 18 years[2]	5,444	6,330	7,181	7,884	8,374	9,826	11,314	11,137	12,124	12,533	13,193	13,063
Other family members	3,850	4,083	4,799	5,001	5,556	6,203	6,963	7,133	7,675	8,287	8,197	8,081
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	1,379	1,320	1,305	1,312	1,265	1,293	1,469	1,487	1,552	1,573	1,510	1,552
White	10,156	10,995	12,383	12,779	13,837	15,411	17,911	18,256	19,657	20,842	21,102	21,369
In families	9,109	9,995	11,398	11,784	12,840	14,416	16,805	17,098	18,524	19,685	19,966	20,211
Head	2,490	2,595	3,019	3,070	3,365	3,628	4,133	4,275	4,657	4,997	4,863	4,952
Family members under 18 years[2]	3,684	4,298	4,799	5,092	5,411	6,274	7,373	7,498	8,170	8,450	8,872	8,966
Other family members	2,935	3,102	3,580	3,622	4,064	4,514	5,299	5,325	5,697	6,238	6,231	6,293
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	1,047	1,000	985	995	997	995	1,106	1,158	1,133	1,157	1,136	1,158
Negro and other races	3,663	4,030	4,795	5,481	5,742	6,716	7,173	7,083	7,737	7,988	8,086	7,731
In families	3,331	3,710	4,475	5,164	5,474	6,418	6,810	6,754	7,318	7,572	7,712	7,337
Head	656	697	874	993	1,019	1,177	1,205	1,307	1,386	1,440	1,425	1,452
Family members under 18 years[2]	1,760	2,032	2,382	2,792	2,963	3,552	3,941	3,639	3,954	4,083	4,321	4,097
Other family members	915	981	1,219	1,379	1,492	1,689	1,664	1,808	1,978	2,049	1,966	1,788
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	332	320	320	317	268	298	363	329	419	416	374	394
Persons in Families With Female Head and Female Unrelated Individuals												
Total	10,470	10,364	10,591	10,250	10,845	11,058	10,971	11,097	11,231	10,798	10,663	10,390
In families	6,998	6,990	6,898	6,861	7,300	7,524	7,297	7,646	7,781	7,252	7,247	7,014
Head	1,804	1,755	1,774	1,721	1,816	1,916	1,822	1,972	2,034	1,954	1,955	1,916
Family members under 18 years[2]	4,377	4,409	4,246	4,262	4,502	4,562	4,422	4,554	4,506	4,044	4,095	4,145
Other family members	817	826	878	878	982	1,046	1,053	1,120	1,241	1,254	1,197	953
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	3,472	3,374	3,693	3,389	3,545	3,534	3,674	3,451	3,450	3,546	3,416	3,376
White	6,515	6,400	6,600	6,511	6,914	7,085	7,046	6,982	7,015	7,048	7,207	7,115
In families	3,600	3,551	3,453	3,646	3,892	4,092	3,911	4,051	4,089	4,062	4,296	4,232
Heads	1,065	1,021	1,037	1,036	1,116	1,196	1,125	1,191	1,230	1,208	1,252	1,233
Family members under 18 years[2]	2,093	2,075	1,930	2,112	2,238	2,321	2,200	2,251	2,212	2,164	2,357	2,420
Other family members	442	455	486	498	538	575	586	609	647	690	687	579
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	2,915	2,849	3,147	2,865	3,022	2,993	3,135	2,931	2,926	2,986	2,911	2,883
Negro and other races	3,955	3,964	3,991	3,739	3,931	3,973	3,925	4,115	4,216	3,750	3,456	3,275
In families	3,398	3,439	3,445	3,215	3,408	3,432	3,386	3,595	3,692	3,190	2,951	2,782
Head	739	734	737	685	700	720	697	781	804	746	703	683
Family members under 18 years[2]	2,284	2,334	2,316	2,150	2,264	2,241	2,222	2,303	2,294	1,880	1,738	1,725
Other family members	375	371	392	380	444	471	467	511	594	564	510	374
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	557	525	546	524	523	541	539	520	524	560	505	493

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 1. PERSONS BELOW POVERTY LEVEL IN 1959 TO 1969, BY FAMILY STATUS AND SEX AND RACE OF HEAD--Continued

(Numbers in thousands. Persons as of March of the following year)

Family status and race	1969[r]	1968[r]	1967[r1]	1966[r]	1966	1965	1964	1963	1962	1961	1960	1959
PERCENT BELOW POVERTY LEVEL												
All Persons in Families and Unrelated Individuals												
Total	12.2	12.8	14.2	14.7	15.7	17.3	19.0	19.5	21.0	21.9	22.2	22.4
In families	10.5	11.3	12.5	13.1	14.2	15.8	17.4	17.9	19.4	20.3	20.7	20.8
Head	9.7	10.0	11.4	11.8	12.7	13.9	15.0	15.9	17.2	18.1	18.1	18.5
Family members under 18 years[2]	14.1	15.3	16.3	17.4	18.4	20.7	22.7	22.8	24.7	25.2	26.5	26.9
Other family members	7.3	7.8	9.1	9.5	10.5	11.8	13.3	13.8	15.1	16.5	16.2	15.9
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	33.6	34.0	38.1	38.3	38.9	39.8	42.7	44.2	45.4	45.9	45.2	46.1
White	9.5	10.0	11.0	11.3	12.2	13.3	14.9	15.3	16.4	17.4	17.8	18.1
In families	7.8	8.4	9.2	9.7	10.5	11.7	13.2	13.6	14.7	15.8	16.2	16.5
Head	7.7	8.0	9.0	9.3	10.2	11.1	12.2	12.8	13.9	14.8	14.9	15.2
Family members under 18 years[2]	9.8	10.7	11.3	12.1	12.8	14.4	16.1	16.5	17.9	18.7	20.0	20.6
Other family members	5.8	6.3	7.2	7.4	8.2	9.2	10.8	11.0	12.0	13.3	13.3	13.3
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	31.8	32.2	36.5	36.1	37.3	38.1	40.7	42.0	42.7	43.2	43.0	44.1
Negro and other races	31.1	33.5	37.2	39.8	41.7	47.1	49.6	51.0	55.8	56.1	55.9	56.2
In families	29.9	32.4	36.3	38.9	41.1	46.8	49.1	50.5	55.3	55.6	55.7	56.0
Head	26.7	28.2	32.1	33.9	35.0	39.7	40.0	43.7	48.0	49.0	49.0	50.4
Family members under 18 years[2]	38.0	41.6	44.9	48.2	50.7	57.3	61.5	60.9	66.4	65.7	66.6	66.7
Other family members	19.4	20.9	25.3	27.7	30.2	35.3	35.7	38.9	43.2	44.8	43.3	42.5
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	44.9	45.7	48.2	53.1	50.0	50.7	55.0	58.3	62.1	62.7	59.3	57.4
Persons in Families With Male Head and Male Unrelated Individuals												
Total	8.0	8.8	10.1	10.8	11.6	13.2	15.1	15.4	16.9	18.1	18.5	18.7
In families	7.4	8.3	9.6	10.3	11.2	12.8	14.6	14.9	16.4	17.6	18.0	18.2
Head	6.9	7.3	8.7	9.3	10.0	11.1	12.5	13.1	14.3	15.4	15.4	15.8
Family members under 18 years[2]	8.8	10.2	11.5	12.6	13.4	15.7	18.2	18.0	19.9	21.0	22.3	22.4
Other family members	6.5	7.0	8.3	8.7	9.6	10.9	12.4	12.9	14.1	15.4	15.3	15.3
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	25.3	25.4	26.9	29.3	27.7	28.9	32.0	34.8	36.5	36.0	36.1	36.8
White	6.6	7.1	8.1	8.5	9.2	10.3	12.0	12.4	13.5	14.5	14.9	15.2
In families	6.1	6.7	7.7	8.0	8.7	9.8	11.6	11.9	13.0	14.1	14.4	14.7
Head	6.0	6.3	7.4	7.7	8.4	9.2	10.5	11.0	12.0	13.1	13.0	13.3
Family members under 18 years[2]	6.8	7.8	8.7	9.2	9.8	11.4	13.4	13.7	15.1	16.0	17.0	17.4
Other family members	5.4	5.8	6.8	7.0	7.8	8.7	10.4	10.6	11.5	12.8	12.8	13.0
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	23.4	23.3	24.9	26.6	26.1	27.2	29.4	32.2	32.5	32.4	33.3	33.8
Negro and other races	20.8	23.6	28.1	31.6	33.0	39.4	42.5	42.9	48.3	50.3	50.1	51.0
In families	20.0	22.9	27.7	31.2	32.8	39.5	42.4	42.6	48.0	50.2	50.2	51.0
Head	17.2	18.9	23.7	26.2	27.2	32.3	33.2	35.5	40.2	42.1	41.9	44.2
Family members under 18 years[2]	24.2	28.3	33.0	37.5	39.7	48.0	53.6	51.4	57.9	59.8	61.3	60.8
Other family members	16.5	18.5	23.2	25.8	27.3	32.6	32.8	35.7	39.9	42.3	40.1	41.1
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	34.3	34.8	36.2	42.4	36.0	36.8	43.4	48.1	54.3	51.9	48.6	49.6
Persons in Families With Female Head and Female Unrelated Individuals												
Total	38.3	38.9	40.6	41.0	43.8	46.0	45.9	48.4	50.5	49.5	49.5	50.2
In families	38.1	38.7	38.8	39.8	43.1	46.0	44.4	47.7	50.3	48.1	48.9	49.4
Head	32.3	32.3	33.3	33.1	35.1	38.4	36.4	40.4	42.9	42.1	42.4	42.6
Family members under 18 years[2]	54.4	55.2	54.3	58.2	61.3	64.2	62.3	66.6	70.2	65.1	68.4	72.2
Other family members	17.3	17.8	18.9	18.6	22.2	24.5	24.3	26.0	28.8	29.8	28.3	24.0
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	38.5	39.2	44.7	43.5	45.4	46.2	49.3	50.0	51.0	52.4	50.9	52.1
White	31.8	32.3	33.9	33.9	36.5	38.5	38.3	39.9	41.8	41.9	42.3	43.8
In families	28.9	29.1	28.5	29.7	32.4	35.4	33.4	35.6	37.9	37.6	39.0	40.2
Head	25.4	25.2	25.9	25.7	27.8	31.0	29.0	31.4	33.9	33.5	34.0	34.8
Family members under 18 years[2]	44.8	44.4	42.1	46.9	49.7	52.9	49.7	54.1	57.6	54.6	59.9	64.6
Other family members	12.2	13.1	13.7	13.4	15.4	17.3	17.2	17.8	19.5	21.4	20.1	17.9
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	36.4	37.1	42.8	41.2	43.4	43.9	47.1	47.8	48.7	49.6	48.6	50.3
Negro and other races	57.5	58.4	60.8	64.3	68.0	70.4	71.3	75.8	77.7	74.6	76.6	73.9
In families	57.9	58.7	60.9	64.6	68.9	71.5	72.0	77.2	78.9	74.7	77.7	75.6
Head	53.0	52.9	55.7	58.5	60.2	63.6	61.9	72.0	72.1	72.0	75.1	72.0
Family members under 18 years[2]	67.6	70.4	71.8	76.3	79.6	82.2	83.3	86.2	89.0	83.7	84.8	86.5
Other family members	34.3	32.1	35.4	38.3	47.5	50.1	51.3	57.0	60.2	56.9	62.6	50.7
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	55.1	56.7	59.8	62.7	62.3	64.1	67.0	67.3	70.2	74.4	70.8	65.6

[r]Based on revised methodology for processing income data; see text for explanation.
[1]Due to coding errors, data for 1967 are not strictly comparable with those shown for 1966, 1968 and 1969; see text for explanation.
[2]Other than head or wife.

Table 2. FAMILY STATUS AND FARM-NONFARM RESIDENCE--PERSONS BY POVERTY STATUS IN 1969 AND SEX AND RACE OF HEAD

(Numbers in thousands. Persons as of March 1970)

Family status and farm-nonfarm residence	All races			White			Negro and other races					
							Total			Negro		
	Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level	
		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total
UNITED STATES												
All Persons in Families and Unrelated Individuals												
Total	199,849	24,289	12.2	175,361	16,671	9.5	24,488	7,618	31.1	22,322	7,215	32.3
In families	185,397	19,438	10.5	162,888	12,709	7.8	22,509	6,729	29.9	20,570	6,409	31.2
Head	51,237	4,950	9.7	46,022	3,555	7.7	5,215	1,395	26.7	4,774	1,326	27.8
Family members under 18 years[1]	69,789	9,821	14.1	59,133	5,777	9.8	10,656	4,044	38.0	9,768	3,879	39.7
Other family members	64,371	4,667	7.3	57,733	3,377	5.8	6,638	1,290	19.4	6,028	1,204	20.0
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	14,452	4,851	33.6	12,473	3,962	31.8	1,979	889	44.9	1,752	806	46.0
Persons in Families With Male Head and Male Unrelated Individuals												
Total	172,492	13,819	8.0	154,885	10,156	6.6	17,607	3,663	20.8	15,692	3,380	21.5
In families	167,051	12,440	7.4	150,412	9,109	6.1	16,639	3,331	20.0	14,879	3,093	20.8
Head	45,656	3,146	6.9	41,836	2,490	6.0	3,820	656	17.2	3,425	609	17.8
Family members under 18 years[1]	61,736	5,444	8.8	54,461	3,684	6.8	7,275	1,760	24.2	6,481	1,640	25.3
Other family members	59,659	3,850	6.5	54,115	2,935	5.4	5,544	915	16.5	4,973	844	17.0
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	5,441	1,379	25.3	4,473	1,047	23.4	968	332	34.3	813	287	35.2
Persons in Families With Female Head and Female Unrelated Individuals												
Total	27,357	10,470	38.3	20,476	6,515	31.8	6,881	3,955	57.5	6,630	3,837	57.9
In families	18,346	6,998	38.1	12,476	3,600	28.9	5,870	3,398	57.9	5,691	3,317	58.3
Head	5,581	1,804	32.3	4,186	1,065	25.4	1,395	739	53.0	1,349	718	53.2
Family members under 18 years[1]	8,053	4,377	54.4	4,672	2,093	44.8	3,381	2,284	67.6	3,287	2,239	68.1
Other family members	4,712	817	17.3	3,618	442	12.2	1,094	375	34.3	1,055	360	34.1
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	9,011	3,472	38.5	8,000	2,915	36.4	1,011	557	55.1	939	520	55.4
NONFARM												
All Persons in Families and Unrelated Individuals												
Total	190,214	22,342	11.7	166,632	15,222	9.1	23,582	7,120	30.2	21,522	6,719	31.2
In families	176,124	17,621	10.0	154,455	11,358	7.4	21,669	6,263	28.9	19,814	5,943	30.0
Head	48,778	4,522	9.3	43,717	3,206	7.3	5,061	1,316	26.0	4,635	1,247	26.9
Family members under 18 years[1]	66,493	9,005	13.5	56,250	5,223	9.3	10,243	3,782	36.9	9,401	3,617	38.5
Other family members	60,853	4,094	6.7	54,488	2,929	5.4	6,365	1,165	18.3	5,778	1,079	18.7
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	14,090	4,721	33.5	12,177	3,864	31.7	1,913	857	44.8	1,708	776	45.4
Persons in Families With Male Head and Male Unrelated Individuals												
Total	163,483	12,122	7.4	146,591	8,820	6.0	16,892	3,302	19.5	15,050	3,020	20.1
In families	158,261	10,805	6.8	142,288	7,819	5.5	15,973	2,986	18.7	14,263	2,747	19.3
Head	43,328	2,762	6.4	39,631	2,161	5.5	3,697	601	16.3	3,314	554	16.7
Family members under 18 years[1]	58,615	4,721	8.1	51,653	3,153	6.1	6,962	1,568	22.5	6,188	1,448	23.4
Other family members	56,318	3,322	5.9	51,004	2,505	4.9	5,314	817	15.4	4,761	745	15.6
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	5,222	1,317	25.2	4,303	1,001	23.3	919	316	34.4	787	273	34.7
Persons in Families With Female Head and Female Unrelated Individuals												
Total	26,731	10,220	38.2	20,041	6,402	31.9	6,690	3,818	57.1	6,472	3,699	57.2
In families	17,863	6,816	38.2	12,167	3,539	29.1	5,696	3,277	57.5	5,551	3,196	57.6
Head	5,450	1,760	32.3	4,086	1,045	25.6	1,364	715	52.4	1,321	693	52.5
Family members under 18 years[1]	7,878	4,284	54.4	4,597	2,070	45.0	3,281	2,214	67.5	3,213	2,169	67.5
Other family members	4,535	772	17.0	3,484	424	12.2	1,051	348	33.1	1,017	334	32.8
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	8,868	3,404	38.4	7,874	2,863	36.4	994	541	54.4	921	503	54.6

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 2. FAMILY STATUS AND FARM-NONFARM RESIDENCE--PERSONS BY POVERTY STATUS IN 1969 AND SEX AND RACE OF HEAD--Continued

(Numbers in thousands. Persons as of March 1970)

Family status and farm-nonfarm residence	All races			White			Negro and other races					
							Total			Negro		
	Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level	
		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total
FARM												
All Persons in Families and Unrelated Individuals												
Total	9,635	1,947	20.2	8,729	1,449	16.6	906	498	55.0	800	496	62.0
In families	9,273	1,816	19.6	8,433	1,350	16.0	840	466	55.5	756	466	61.6
Head	2,459	428	17.4	2,306	349	15.1	153	79	51.6	139	79	56.8
Family members under 18 years[1]	3,296	816	24.8	2,883	554	19.2	413	262	63.4	367	262	71.4
Other family members	3,518	572	16.3	3,244	447	13.8	274	125	45.6	250	125	50.0
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	362	131	36.2	296	99	33.4	66	32	(B)	44	30	(B)
Persons in Families With Male Head and Male Unrelated Individuals												
Total	9,009	1,697	18.8	8,294	1,336	16.1	715	361	50.5	644	359	55.7
In families	8,790	1,634	18.6	8,124	1,289	15.9	666	345	51.8	617	345	55.9
Head	2,327	384	16.5	2,206	329	14.9	121	55	45.5	111	55	49.5
Family members under 18 years[1]	3,122	723	23.2	2,809	531	18.9	313	192	61.3	293	192	65.5
Other family members	3,341	527	15.8	3,109	429	13.8	232	98	42.2	213	98	46.0
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	219	63	28.8	170	47	27.6	49	16	(B)	27	14	(B)
Persons in Families With Female Head and Female Unrelated Individuals												
Total	626	250	39.9	435	113	26.0	191	137	71.7	156	137	87.8
In families	483	182	37.7	309	61	19.7	174	121	69.5	139	121	87.1
Head	132	44	33.3	100	20	20.0	32	24	(B)	28	24	(B)
Family members under 18 years[1]	174	93	53.4	74	23	(B)	100	70	70.0	74	70	(B)
Other family members	177	45	25.4	135	18	13.3	42	27	(B)	37	27	(B)
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	143	68	47.6	126	52	41.3	17	16	(B)	17	16	(B)

B Base less than 75,000.
[1]Other than head or wife.

Table 3. TYPE OF RESIDENCE AND REGION--PERSONS BY POVERTY STATUS IN 1969, FAMILY STATUS, SEX, AND RACE

(Numbers in thousands. Persons as of March 1970)

Family status, type of residence, and region	All races			White			Negro		
	Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level	
		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total
ALL PERSONS IN FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
United States									
Total									
Total	199,849	24,289	12.2	175,231	16,668	9.5	22,349	7,214	32.3
In families	185,397	19,438	10.5	162,758	12,706	7.8	20,597	6,407	31.1
Head	51,237	4,950	9.7	46,024	3,556	7.7	4,774	1,326	27.8
Family members under 18 years[1]	69,789	9,821	14.1	59,042	5,769	9.8	9,817	3,883	39.6
Family members under 6 years	21,578	3,298	15.3	17,894	1,870	10.5	3,349	1,372	41.0
Other family members	64,371	4,667	7.3	57,694	3,381	5.9	6,005	1,196	19.9
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	14,452	4,851	33.6	12,473	3,962	31.8	1,752	807	46.1
Metropolitan Areas									
Total	130,017	12,320	9.5	112,440	8,200	7.3	15,824	3,855	24.4
In families	119,842	9,413	7.9	103,776	5,863	5.6	14,499	3,347	23.1
Head	33,150	2,416	7.3	29,335	1,651	5.6	3,466	720	20.8
Family members under 18 years[1]	44,733	5,032	11.2	37,238	2,786	7.5	6,805	2,142	31.5
Family members under 6 years	13,942	1,769	12.7	11,357	945	8.3	2,369	795	33.6
Other family members	41,959	1,965	4.7	37,204	1,426	3.8	4,227	484	11.5
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	10,175	2,907	28.6	8,664	2,337	27.0	1,325	508	38.3
Central Cities									
Total	57,781	7,760	13.4	44,392	4,527	10.2	12,439	3,068	24.7
In families	51,403	5,888	11.5	39,296	3,127	8.0	11,273	2,640	23.4
Head	14,704	1,484	10.1	11,759	872	7.4	2,740	582	21.2
Family members under 18 years[1]	18,313	3,229	17.6	12,740	1,490	11.7	5,237	1,685	32.2
Family members under 6 years	5,857	1,147	19.6	3,965	522	13.2	1,781	608	34.1
Other family members	18,387	1,175	6.4	14,797	765	5.2	3,296	374	11.3
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	6,378	1,872	29.4	5,096	1,400	27.5	1,166	428	36.7
Suburban Rings									
Total	72,236	4,560	6.3	68,049	3,674	5.4	3,384	786	23.2
In families	68,439	3,525	5.2	64,480	2,737	4.2	3,225	706	21.9
Head	18,446	932	5.1	17,576	779	4.4	726	138	19.0
Family members under 18 years[1]	26,420	1,803	6.8	24,498	1,296	5.3	1,568	456	29.1
Family members under 6 years	8,085	622	7.7	7,392	423	5.7	588	187	31.8
Other family members	23,573	790	3.4	22,406	662	3.0	931	112	12.0
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	3,797	1,035	27.3	3,568	937	26.3	159	80	50.3
Outside Metropolitan Areas									
Total	69,831	11,969	17.1	62,791	8,468	13.5	6,525	3,359	51.5
In families	65,554	10,025	15.3	58,982	6,843	11.6	6,098	3,060	50.2
Head	18,089	2,535	14.0	16,689	1,905	11.4	1,308	606	46.3
Family members under 18 years[1]	25,055	4,789	19.1	21,804	2,983	13.7	3,012	1,741	57.8
Family members under 6 years	7,636	1,530	20.0	6,537	925	14.2	980	577	58.9
Other family members	22,410	2,701	12.1	20,490	1,955	9.5	1,778	712	40.0
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	4,277	1,944	45.5	3,809	1,625	42.7	427	299	70.0

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Table 3. TYPE OF RESIDENCE AND REGION--PERSONS BY POVERTY STATUS IN 1969, FAMILY STATUS, SEX, AND RACE--Continued

(Numbers in thousands. Persons as of March 1970)

Family status, type of residence, and region	All races			White			Negro		
	Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level	
		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD AND MALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
United States									
Total									
Total	172,492	13,819	8.0	154,757	10,160	6.6	15,727	3,378	21.5
In families	167,051	12,440	7.4	150,285	9,113	6.1	14,914	3,091	20.7
Head	45,656	3,146	6.9	41,837	2,492	6.0	3,425	609	17.8
Family members under 18 years[1]	61,736	5,444	8.8	54,373	3,683	6.8	6,533	1,644	25.2
Family members under 6 years	19,392	1,872	9.7	16,804	1,225	7.3	2,294	607	26.5
Other family members	59,659	3,850	6.5	54,075	2,938	5.4	4,956	838	16.9
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	5,441	1,379	25.3	4,473	1,047	23.4	813	287	35.2
Metropolitan Areas									
Total	111,291	5,933	5.3	98,604	4,312	4.4	11,093	1,442	13.0
In families	107,338	5,095	4.7	95,415	3,704	3.9	10,460	1,248	11.9
Head	29,323	1,305	4.5	26,521	1,018	3.8	2,483	258	10.4
Family members under 18 years[1]	39,273	2,245	5.7	34,154	1,501	4.4	4,482	677	15.1
Family members under 6 years	12,440	829	6.7	10,641	550	5.2	1,597	261	16.3
Other family members	38,742	1,545	4.0	34,740	1,185	3.4	3,495	313	9.0
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	3,953	837	21.2	3,190	608	19.1	633	194	30.6
Central Cities									
Total	46,290	3,530	7.6	37,005	2,376	6.4	8,455	1,052	12.4
In families	43,782	2,953	6.7	35,128	1,983	5.6	7,901	895	11.3
Head	12,434	746	6.0	10,340	535	5.2	1,913	192	10.0
Family members under 18 years[1]	14,856	1,301	8.8	11,264	807	7.2	3,295	468	14.2
Family members under 6 years	4,808	470	9.8	3,569	293	8.2	1,139	169	14.8
Other family members	16,492	906	5.5	13,524	641	4.7	2,693	235	8.7
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	2,508	577	23.0	1,877	393	20.9	554	157	28.3
Suburban Rings									
Total	65,001	2,402	3.7	61,599	1,937	3.1	2,638	391	14.8
In families	63,556	2,142	3.4	60,287	1,722	2.9	2,559	354	13.8
Head	16,889	559	3.3	16,181	482	3.0	570	66	11.6
Family members under 18 years[1]	24,417	944	3.9	22,890	695	3.0	1,188	209	17.6
Family members under 6 years	7,632	359	4.7	7,072	258	3.6	458	92	20.1
Other family members	22,250	639	2.9	21,216	545	2.6	801	79	9.9
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	1,445	260	18.0	1,312	215	16.4	79	37	46.8
Outside Metropolitan Areas									
Total	61,205	7,890	12.9	56,153	5,848	10.4	4,634	1,936	41.8
In families	59,718	7,348	12.3	54,870	5,409	9.9	4,454	1,843	41.4
Head	16,334	1,843	11.3	15,316	1,474	9.6	942	351	37.3
Family members under 18 years[1]	22,464	3,200	14.2	20,219	2,182	10.8	2,051	967	47.1
Family members under 6 years	6,952	1,042	15.0	6,163	675	11.0	697	346	49.6
Other family members	20,920	2,305	11.0	19,335	1,753	9.1	1,461	525	35.9
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	1,487	542	36.4	1,283	439	34.2	180	93	51.7

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Table 3. TYPE OF RESIDENCE AND REGION--PERSONS BY POVERTY STATUS IN 1969, FAMILY STATUS, SEX, AND RACE--Continued

(Numbers in thousands. Persons as of March 1970)

Family status, type of residence, and region	All races			White			Negro		
	Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level	
		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD AND FEMALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
United States									
Total									
Total	27,357	10,470	38.3	20,474	6,509	31.8	6,622	3,835	57.9
In families	18,346	6,998	38.1	12,474	3,594	28.8	5,683	3,316	58.3
Head	5,581	1,804	32.3	4,187	1,065	25.4	1,349	717	53.2
Family members under 18 years[1]	8,053	4,377	54.4	4,669	2,088	44.7	3,283	2,239	68.2
Family members under 6 years	2,186	1,427	65.3	1,091	645	59.1	1,055	765	72.5
Other family members	4,712	817	17.3	3,618	441	12.2	1,051	360	34.3
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	9,011	3,472	38.5	8,000	2,914	36.4	939	520	55.4
Metropolitan Areas									
Total	18,726	6,387	34.1	13,836	3,888	28.1	4,731	2,412	51.0
In families	12,504	4,317	34.5	8,362	2,159	25.8	4,039	2,099	52.0
Head	3,827	1,112	29.1	2,814	634	22.5	983	462	47.0
Family members under 18 years[1]	5,459	2,787	51.1	3,084	1,286	41.7	2,323	1,465	63.1
Family members under 6 years	1,502	940	62.6	716	395	55.2	772	534	69.2
Other family members	3,218	418	13.0	2,464	239	9.7	733	172	23.5
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	6,222	2,070	33.3	5,474	1,728	31.6	692	314	45.4
Central Cities									
Total	11,491	4,230	36.8	7,386	2,151	29.1	3,984	2,016	50.6
In families	7,621	2,934	38.5	4,168	1,144	27.4	3,372	1,746	51.8
Head	2,270	738	32.5	1,419	337	23.7	828	390	47.1
Family members under 18 years[1]	3,456	1,928	55.8	1,476	683	46.3	1,942	1,217	62.7
Family members under 6 years	1,048	677	64.6	396	229	57.8	642	439	68.4
Other family members	1,895	268	14.1	1,273	124	9.7	602	139	23.1
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	3,869	1,295	33.5	3,218	1,007	31.3	612	271	44.3
Suburban Rings									
Total	7,235	2,158	29.8	6,450	1,737	26.9	747	396	53.0
In families	4,883	1,383	28.3	4,194	1,015	24.2	666	353	53.0
Head	1,557	373	24.0	1,395	297	21.3	156	72	46.2
Family members under 18 years[1]	2,002	859	42.9	1,608	602	37.4	380	248	65.3
Family members under 6 years	453	263	58.1	320	166	51.9	130	96	73.8
Other family members	1,324	151	11.4	1,191	116	9.7	130	33	25.4
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	2,352	775	33.0	2,256	722	32.0	80	43	53.8
Outside Metropolitan Areas									
Total	8,626	4,078	47.3	6,638	2,621	39.5	1,891	1,423	75.3
In families	5,837	2,677	45.9	4,112	1,435	34.9	1,644	1,217	74.0
Head	1,755	693	39.5	1,373	431	31.4	366	255	69.7
Family members under 18 years[1]	2,591	1,588	61.3	1,585	802	50.6	960	774	80.6
Family members under 6 years	684	487	71.2	375	250	66.7	283	231	81.6
Other family members	1,491	396	26.6	1,154	202	17.5	318	188	59.1
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	2,790	1,402	50.3	2,526	1,186	47.0	247	206	83.4

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Table 3. TYPE OF RESIDENCE AND REGION--PERSONS BY POVERTY STATUS IN 1969, FAMILY STATUS, SEX, AND RACE--Continued

(Numbers in thousands. Persons as of March 1970)

Family status, type of residence, and region	All races			White			Negro		
	Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level	
		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total
ALL PERSONS IN FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
North and West									
Total									
Total	138,849	13,126	9.5	126,520	10,503	8.3	10,316	2,286	22.2
In families	128,319	9,900	7.7	117,103	7,680	6.6	9,409	1,953	20.8
Head	35,465	2,622	7.4	32,777	2,125	6.5	2,298	441	19.2
Family members under 18 years[1]	48,324	5,045	10.4	43,054	3,638	8.4	4,463	1,268	28.4
Family members under 6 years	14,901	1,764	11.8	13,023	1,220	9.4	1,580	495	31.3
Other family members	44,530	2,233	5.0	41,272	1,917	4.6	2,648	244	9.2
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	10,530	3,226	30.6	9,417	2,821	30.0	906	333	36.8
Metropolitan Areas									
Total	98,473	8,283	8.4	87,223	5,910	6.8	9,613	2,143	22.3
In families	90,580	6,105	6.7	80,366	4,105	5.1	8,747	1,826	20.9
Head	25,087	1,617	6.4	22,621	1,168	5.2	2,140	411	19.2
Family members under 18 years[1]	33,764	3,249	9.6	28,989	1,972	6.8	4,136	1,191	28.8
Family members under 6 years	10,444	1,160	11.1	8,799	672	7.6	1,447	462	31.9
Other family members	31,729	1,239	3.9	28,756	965	3.4	2,471	224	9.1
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	7,893	2,178	27.6	6,857	1,804	26.3	865	317	36.6
Central Cities									
Total	42,530	5,263	12.4	33,666	3,261	9.7	7,958	1,845	23.2
In families	37,636	3,854	10.2	29,653	2,179	7.3	7,178	1,557	21.7
Head	10,840	995	9.2	8,882	618	7.0	1,763	350	19.9
Family members under 18 years[1]	13,312	2,123	15.9	9,588	1,049	10.9	3,393	1,020	30.1
Family members under 6 years	4,291	783	18.2	3,011	375	12.5	1,172	391	33.4
Other family members	13,484	736	5.5	11,183	512	4.6	2,022	188	9.3
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	4,895	1,409	28.8	4,013	1,082	27.0	781	288	36.9
Suburban Rings									
Total	55,943	3,021	5.4	53,558	2,650	4.9	1,653	297	18.0
In families	52,944	2,251	4.3	50,713	1,927	3.8	1,568	268	17.1
Head	14,247	622	4.4	13,739	550	4.0	376	61	16.2
Family members under 18 years[1]	20,452	1,127	5.5	19,400	924	4.8	743	170	22.9
Family members under 6 years	6,153	377	6.1	5,788	297	5.1	275	71	25.8
Other family members	18,245	502	2.8	17,574	453	2.6	449	37	8.2
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	2,998	769	25.7	2,844	723	25.4	85	29	34.1
Outside Metropolitan Areas									
Total	40,375	4,843	12.0	39,297	4,593	11.7	703	143	20.3
In families	37,737	3,795	10.1	36,737	3,575	9.7	662	127	19.2
Head	10,381	1,006	9.7	10,156	957	9.4	158	30	19.0
Family members under 18 years[1]	14,559	1,795	12.3	14,065	1,666	11.8	327	77	23.5
Family members under 6 years	4,457	604	13.6	4,224	548	13.0	133	33	24.8
Other family members	12,797	994	7.8	12,516	952	7.6	177	20	11.3
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	2,637	1,048	39.7	2,560	1,017	39.7	41	16	(B)

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Table 3. TYPE OF RESIDENCE AND REGION--PERSONS BY POVERTY STATUS IN 1969, FAMILY STATUS, SEX, AND RACE--Continued

(Numbers in thousands. Persons as of March 1970)

Family status, type of residence, and region	All races			White			Negro		
	Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level	
		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD AND MALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
North and West									
Total									
Total	120,492	7,105	5.9	111,642	6,133	5.5	7,082	755	10.7
In families	116,469	6,181	5.3	108,182	5,374	5.0	6,660	627	9.4
Head	31,744	1,618	5.1	29,780	1,449	4.9	1,614	137	8.5
Family members under 18 years[1]	43,298	2,660	6.1	39,724	2,232	5.6	2,864	341	11.9
Family members under 6 years	13,534	917	6.8	12,247	761	6.2	1,032	124	12.0
Other family members	41,427	1,903	4.6	38,678	1,693	4.4	2,182	149	6.8
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	4,022	924	23.0	3,461	759	21.9	423	127	30.0
Metropolitan Areas									
Total	84,411	3,856	4.6	76,326	3,010	3.9	6,594	699	10.6
In families	81,332	3,212	3.9	73,767	2,518	3.4	6,191	577	9.3
Head	22,198	851	3.8	20,396	704	3.5	1,501	124	8.3
Family members under 18 years[1]	29,826	1,367	4.6	26,578	1,002	3.8	2,658	315	11.9
Family members under 6 years	9,388	506	5.4	8,265	381	4.6	939	110	11.7
Other family members	29,308	994	3.4	26,793	812	3.0	2,032	138	6.8
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	3,079	643	20.9	2,560	492	19.2	403	121	30.0
Central Cities									
Total	34,028	2,335	6.9	27,914	1,648	5.9	5,323	593	11.1
In families	32,080	1,872	5.8	26,388	1,312	5.0	4,964	489	9.9
Head	9,153	483	5.3	7,767	364	4.7	1,214	103	8.5
Family members under 18 years[1]	10,835	811	7.5	8,433	512	6.1	2,112	273	12.9
Family members under 6 years	3,529	291	8.2	2,699	190	7.0	734	93	12.7
Other family members	12,092	578	4.8	10,188	436	4.3	1,638	113	6.9
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	1,948	462	23.7	1,526	336	22.0	359	104	29.0
Suburban Rings									
Total	50,383	1,520	3.0	48,413	1,363	2.8	1,271	106	8.3
In families	49,252	1,340	2.7	47,379	1,207	2.5	1,227	89	7.3
Head	13,045	367	2.8	12,630	338	2.7	287	21	7.3
Family members under 18 years[1]	18,990	556	2.9	18,146	490	2.7	547	42	7.7
Family members under 6 years	5,858	215	3.7	5,566	192	3.4	205	17	8.3
Other family members	17,217	417	2.4	16,603	379	2.3	393	26	6.6
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	1,131	181	16.0	1,033	156	15.1	44	17	(B)
Outside Metropolitan Areas									
Total	36,085	3,253	9.0	35,316	3,123	8.8	488	56	11.5
In families	35,142	2,972	8.5	34,415	2,856	8.3	469	50	10.7
Head	9,547	769	8.1	9,384	745	7.9	113	13	11.5
Family members under 18 years[1]	13,474	1,294	9.6	13,146	1,230	9.4	206	26	12.6
Family members under 6 years	4,147	410	9.9	3,982	380	9.5	93	14	15.1
Other family members	12,121	909	7.5	11,885	881	7.4	150	11	7.3
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	943	281	29.8	901	267	29.6	20	6	(B)

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Table 3. TYPE OF RESIDENCE AND REGION--PERSONS BY POVERTY STATUS IN 1969, FAMILY STATUS, SEX, AND RACE--Continued

(Numbers in thousands. Persons as of March 1970)

Family status, type of residence, and region	All races			White			Negro		
	Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level	
		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD AND FEMALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
North and West									
Total									
Total	18,357	6,021	32.8	14,877	4,369	29.4	3,234	1,530	47.3
In families	11,849	3,719	31.4	8,922	2,308	25.9	2,749	1,326	48.2
Head	3,721	1,004	27.0	2,996	677	22.6	684	306	44.7
Family members under 18 years[1]	5,025	2,385	47.5	3,331	1,409	42.3	1,599	928	58.0
Family members under 6 years	1,366	848	62.1	778	459	59.0	549	373	67.9
Other family members	3,103	330	10.6	2,595	222	8.6	466	92	19.7
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	6,508	2,302	35.4	5,955	2,060	34.6	485	205	42.3
Metropolitan Areas									
Total	14,062	4,427	31.5	10,897	2,899	26.6	3,019	1,443	47.8
In families	9,248	2,892	31.3	6,600	1,587	24.0	2,556	1,249	48.9
Head	2,889	767	26.5	2,224	465	20.9	639	288	45.1
Family members under 18 years[1]	3,938	1,882	47.8	2,412	972	40.3	1,478	877	59.3
Family members under 6 years	1,057	654	61.9	535	291	54.4	508	353	69.5
Other family members	2,421	243	10.0	1,964	150	7.6	439	84	19.1
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	4,814	1,535	31.9	4,297	1,311	30.5	463	195	42.1
Central Cities									
Total	8,502	2,928	34.4	5,751	1,613	28.0	2,635	1,252	47.5
In families	5,555	1,981	35.7	3,265	867	26.6	2,214	1,069	48.3
Head	1,687	512	30.3	1,115	253	22.7	551	247	44.8
Family members under 18 years[1]	2,476	1,312	53.0	1,157	536	46.3	1,281	747	58.3
Family members under 6 years	761	492	64.7	313	185	59.1	438	298	68.0
Other family members	1,392	157	11.3	993	78	7.9	382	75	19.6
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	2,946	946	32.1	2,486	746	30.0	421	184	43.7
Suburban Rings									
Total	5,560	1,500	27.0	5,146	1,286	25.0	384	191	49.7
In families	3,692	912	24.7	3,335	720	21.6	341	180	52.8
Head	1,202	254	21.1	1,109	212	19.1	90	40	44.4
Family members under 18 years[1]	1,461	571	39.1	1,255	435	34.7	196	129	65.8
Family members under 6 years	295	162	54.9	222	106	47.7	70	55	(B)
Other family members	1,029	87	8.5	971	73	7.5	55	11	(B)
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	1,867	589	31.5	1,811	567	31.3	41	12	(B)
Outside Metropolitan Areas									
Total	4,290	1,589	37.0	3,980	1,470	36.9	215	87	40.5
In families	2,596	823	31.7	2,322	721	31.1	193	77	39.9
Head	833	237	28.5	772	212	27.5	45	18	(B)
Family members under 18 years[1]	1,086	500	46.0	919	437	47.6	121	51	42.1
Family members under 6 years	310	194	62.6	243	168	69.1	41	20	(B)
Other family members	677	86	12.7	631	72	11.4	27	8	(B)
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	1,695	767	45.3	1,658	749	45.2	22	10	(B)

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Table 3. TYPE OF RESIDENCE AND REGION--PERSONS BY POVERTY STATUS IN 1969, FAMILY STATUS, SEX, AND RACE--Continued

(Numbers in thousands. Persons as of March 1970)

Family status, type of residence, and region	All races			White			Negro		
	Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level	
		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total
ALL PERSONS IN FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
South									
Total									
Total	61,000	11,163	18.3	48,711	6,166	12.7	12,032	4,928	41.0
In families	57,078	9,538	16.7	45,655	5,026	11.0	11,188	4,454	39.8
Head	15,772	2,328	14.8	13,247	1,431	10.8	2,476	885	35.7
Family members under 18 years[1]	21,465	4,776	22.3	15,988	2,131	13.3	5,354	2,615	48.8
Family members under 6 years	6,677	1,534	23.0	4,871	650	13.3	1,769	877	49.6
Other family members	19,841	2,434	12.3	16,420	1,463	8.9	3,358	954	28.4
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	3,922	1,625	41.4	3,056	1,141	37.3	846	474	56.0
Metropolitan Areas									
Total	31,544	4,037	12.8	25,217	2,290	9.1	6,211	1,712	27.6
In families	29,262	3,308	11.3	23,410	1,758	7.5	5,752	1,521	26.4
Head	8,063	799	9.9	6,714	483	7.2	1,326	309	23.3
Family members under 18 years[1]	10,969	1,783	16.3	8,249	814	9.9	2,669	951	35.6
Family members under 6 years	3,498	609	17.4	2,558	273	10.7	922	333	36.1
Other family members	10,230	726	7.1	8,447	461	5.5	1,757	261	14.9
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	2,282	729	31.9	1,807	533	29.5	460	191	41.5
Central Cities									
Total	15,251	2,497	16.4	10,726	1,266	11.8	4,481	1,223	27.3
In families	13,767	2,034	14.8	9,643	948	9.8	4,095	1,083	26.4
Head	3,864	489	12.7	2,877	254	8.8	977	232	23.7
Family members under 18 years[1]	5,001	1,106	22.1	3,152	441	14.0	1,844	665	36.1
Family members under 6 years	1,566	364	23.2	954	147	15.4	609	217	35.6
Other family members	4,902	439	9.0	3,614	253	7.0	1,274	186	14.6
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	1,483	463	31.2	1,083	318	29.4	385	140	36.4
Suburban Rings									
Total	16,293	1,539	9.4	14,491	1,024	7.1	1,731	489	28.2
In families	15,495	1,274	8.2	13,767	810	5.9	1,657	438	26.4
Head	4,199	310	7.4	3,837	229	6.0	350	77	22.0
Family members under 18 years[1]	5,968	676	11.3	5,098	372	7.3	825	286	34.7
Family members under 6 years	1,932	245	12.7	1,604	126	7.9	313	116	37.1
Other family members	5,328	288	5.4	4,832	209	4.3	482	75	15.6
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	799	266	33.3	724	214	29.6	74	51	(B)
Outside Metropolitan Areas									
Total	29,456	7,126	24.2	23,494	3,876	16.5	5,821	3,216	55.2
In families	27,817	6,230	22.4	22,245	3,268	14.7	5,436	2,933	54.0
Head	7,708	1,529	19.8	6,533	948	14.5	1,150	576	50.1
Family members under 18 years[1]	10,496	2,994	28.5	7,739	1,317	17.0	2,685	1,664	62.0
Family members under 6 years	3,179	926	29.1	2,313	377	16.3	847	544	64.2
Other family members	9,613	1,707	17.8	7,973	1,003	12.6	1,601	693	43.3
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	1,640	896	54.6	1,249	608	48.7	386	283	73.3

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Table 3. TYPE OF RESIDENCE AND REGION--PERSONS BY POVERTY STATUS IN 1969, FAMILY STATUS, SEX, AND RACE--Continued

(Numbers in thousands. Persons as of March 1970)

Family status, type of residence, and region	All races			White			Negro		
	Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level	
		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD AND MALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
South									
Total									
Total	52,000	6,714	12.9	43,115	4,027	9.3	8,645	2,623	30.3
In families	50,582	6,259	12.4	42,103	3,739	8.9	8,254	2,464	29.9
Head	13,912	1,528	11.0	12,057	1,043	8.7	1,811	472	26.1
Family members under 18 years[1]	18,438	2,784	15.1	14,649	1,451	9.9	3,669	1,303	35.5
Family members under 6 years	5,858	955	16.3	4,557	464	10.2	1,262	483	38.3
Other family members	18,232	1,947	10.7	15,397	1,245	8.1	2,774	689	24.8
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	1,419	455	32.1	1,012	288	28.5	390	160	41.0
Metropolitan Areas									
Total	26,880	2,077	7.7	22,278	1,302	5.8	4,499	743	16.5
In families	26,006	1,883	7.2	21,648	1,186	5.5	4,269	671	15.7
Head	7,125	454	6.4	6,125	314	5.1	982	134	13.6
Family members under 18 years[1]	9,447	878	9.3	7,576	499	6.6	1,824	362	19.8
Family members under 6 years	3,052	323	10.6	2,376	169	7.1	658	151	22.9
Other family members	9,434	551	5.8	7,947	373	4.7	1,463	175	12.0
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	874	194	22.2	630	116	18.4	230	73	31.7
Central Cities									
Total	12,262	1,195	9.7	9,091	728	8.0	3,132	459	14.7
In families	11,702	1,081	9.2	8,740	671	7.7	2,937	406	13.8
Head	3,281	263	8.0	2,573	171	6.6	699	89	12.7
Family members under 18 years[1]	4,021	490	12.2	2,831	295	10.4	1,183	195	16.5
Family members under 6 years	1,279	179	14.0	870	103	11.8	405	76	18.8
Other family members	4,400	328	7.5	3,336	205	6.1	1,055	122	11.6
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	560	115	20.5	351	57	16.2	195	53	27.2
Suburban Rings									
Total	14,618	882	6.0	13,186	574	4.4	1,367	285	20.8
In families	14,304	802	5.6	12,908	515	4.0	1,332	265	19.9
Head	3,844	192	5.0	3,551	144	4.1	283	45	15.9
Family members under 18 years[1]	5,427	388	7.1	4,744	205	4.3	641	167	26.1
Family members under 6 years	1,774	144	8.1	1,506	66	4.4	253	75	29.6
Other family members	5,033	222	4.4	4,613	166	3.6	408	53	13.0
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	314	79	25.2	279	59	21.1	35	20	(B)
Outside Metropolitan Areas									
Total	25,120	4,637	18.5	20,837	2,725	13.1	4,146	1,880	45.3
In families	24,576	4,376	17.8	20,455	2,553	12.5	3,985	1,793	45.0
Head	6,787	1,074	15.8	5,932	729	12.3	829	338	40.8
Family members under 18 years[1]	8,990	1,906	21.2	7,073	952	13.5	1,845	941	51.0
Family members under 6 years	2,805	632	22.5	2,181	295	13.5	604	332	55.0
Other family members	8,799	1,396	15.9	7,450	872	11.7	1,311	514	39.2
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	544	261	48.0	382	172	45.0	160	87	54.4

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Table 3. TYPE OF RESIDENCE AND REGION--PERSONS BY POVERTY STATUS IN 1969, FAMILY STATUS, SEX, AND RACE--Continued

(Numbers in thousands. Persons as of March 1970)

Family status, type of residence, and region	All races			White			Negro		
	Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level	
		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD AND FEMALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
South									
Total									
Total	9,000	4,449	49.4	5,597	2,140	38.2	3,388	2,305	68.0
In families	6,497	3,279	50.5	3,552	1,286	36.2	2,934	1,990	67.8
Head	1,860	800	43.0	1,191	388	32.6	665	411	61.8
Family members under 18 years[1]	3,028	1,992	65.8	1,338	679	50.7	1,684	1,311	77.9
Family members under 6 years	820	579	70.6	313	186	59.4	506	392	77.5
Other family members	1,609	487	30.3	1,023	219	21.4	585	268	45.8
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	2,503	1,170	467	2,045	854	41.8	454	315	69.4
Metropolitan Areas									
Total	4,664	1,960	42.0	2,939	989	33.7	1,712	969	56.6
In families	3,256	1,425	43.8	1,762	572	32.5	1,483	850	57.3
Head	938	345	36.8	590	169	28.6	344	174	50.6
Family members under 18 years[1]	1,521	905	59.5	672	314	46.7	845	588	69.6
Family members under 6 years	445	286	64.3	181	104	57.5	264	181	68.6
Other family members	797	175	22.0	500	89	17.8	294	88	29.9
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	1,408	535	38.0	1,177	417	35.4	229	119	52.0
Central Cities									
Total	2,989	1,302	43.6	1,635	538	32.9	1,349	764	56.6
In families	2,066	953	46.1	903	277	30.7	1,158	677	58.5
Head	583	226	38.8	304	84	27.6	277	143	51.6
Family members under 18 years[1]	980	616	62.9	319	147	46.1	661	470	71.1
Family members under 6 years	287	185	64.5	83	44	53.0	204	141	69.1
Other family members	503	111	22.1	280	46	16.4	220	64	29.1
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	923	349	37.8	732	261	35.7	191	87	45.5
Suburban Rings									
Total	1,675	658	39.3	1,304	451	34.6	363	205	56.5
In families	1,191	471	39.5	859	295	34.3	325	173	53.2
Head	355	119	33.5	286	85	29.7	66	32	(B)
Family members under 18 years[1]	541	288	53.2	353	167	47.3	184	119	64.7
Family members under 6 years	158	101	63.9	98	60	61.2	60	41	(B)
Other family members	295	64	21.7	220	43	19.5	75	22	29.3
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	485	186	38.4	445	155	34.8	39	31	(B)
Outside Metropolitan Areas									
Total	4,336	2,489	57.4	2,658	1,151	43.3	1,676	1,336	79.7
In families	3,241	1,854	57.2	1,790	714	39.9	1,451	1,140	78.6
Head	922	456	49.5	601	219	36.4	321	237	73.8
Family members under 18 years[1]	1,505	1,088	72.3	666	365	54.8	839	723	86.2
Family members under 6 years	374	293	78.3	132	82	62.1	242	211	87.2
Other family members	814	310	38.1	523	130	24.9	291	180	61.9
Unrelated individuals 14 years and over	1,095	635	58.0	868	437	50.3	225	196	87.1

B Base less than 75,000.
[1] Other than head or wife.

Table 4. TYPE OF RESIDENCE AND AGE--PERSONS BY POVERTY STATUS IN 1969, SEX, AND RACE

(Numbers in thousands. Persons as of March 1970)

Type of residence and age	All races			White			Negro		
	Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level	
		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total
ALL PERSONS IN FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
United States									
Both sexes	199,849	24,289	12.2	175,231	16,668	9.5	22,349	7,214	32.3
Under 6 years	21,578	3,299	15.3	17,894	1,870	10.5	3,349	1,372	41.0
6 to 15 years	40,906	5,755	14.1	34,834	3,474	10.0	5,564	2,189	39.3
16 to 21 years	20,572	2,413	11.7	17,768	1,590	8.9	2,574	763	29.6
22 to 44 years	56,680	4,345	7.7	50,095	2,976	5.9	5,884	1,267	21.5
45 to 54 years	23,053	1,666	7.2	20,759	1,157	5.6	2,093	487	23.3
55 to 59 years	9,878	928	9.4	8,949	683	7.6	864	231	26.7
60 to 64 years	8,282	1,088	13.1	7,562	858	11.3	648	215	33.2
65 years and over	18,899	4,782	25.3	17,370	4,052	23.3	1,373	689	50.2
Median age ... years	28.8	25.6	(X)	29.9	32.8	(X)	21.3	16.4	(X)
Male	96,802	10,292	10.6	85,089	7,000	8.2	10,586	3,100	29.3
Under 6 years	11,007	1,695	15.4	9,151	1,003	11.0	1,694	666	39.3
6 to 15 years	20,794	2,923	14.1	17,764	1,783	10.0	2,774	1,096	39.5
16 to 21 years	9,800	1,040	10.6	8,479	688	8.1	1,213	325	26.8
22 to 44 years	27,497	1,634	5.9	24,494	1,169	4.8	2,677	417	15.6
45 to 54 years	11,081	650	5.9	10,025	463	4.6	955	175	18.3
55 to 59 years	4,701	329	7.0	4,270	242	5.7	394	78	19.8
60 to 64 years	3,860	395	10.2	3,525	319	9.0	292	72	24.7
65 years and over	8,062	1,626	20.2	7,381	1,333	18.1	587	271	46.2
Median age ... years	27.5	19.0	(X)	28.7	22.5	(X)	20.1	14.1	(X)
Female	103,037	13,978	13.6	90,133	9,657	10.7	11,763	4,114	35.0
Under 6 years	10,572	1,603	15.2	8,743	869	9.9	1,658	707	42.6
6 to 15 years	20,100	2,823	14.0	17,062	1,685	9.9	2,788	1,093	39.2
16 to 21 years	10,772	1,373	12.7	9,288	903	9.7	1,361	439	32.3
22 to 44 years	29,183	2,710	9.3	25,601	1,806	7.1	3,206	850	26.5
45 to 54 years	11,972	1,017	8.5	10,734	696	6.5	1,137	311	27.4
55 to 59 years	5,178	598	11.5	4,679	441	9.4	469	153	32.6
60 to 64 years	4,423	692	15.6	4,037	538	13.3	357	143	40.1
65 years and over	10,837	3,162	29.2	9,989	2,719	27.2	787	418	53.1
Median age ... years	29.9	32.1	(X)	31.0	39.5	(X)	22.5	19.5	(X)
Metropolitan Areas									
Total	130,017	12,320	9.5	112,440	8,200	7.3	15,824	3,855	24.4
Under 6 years	13,942	1,769	12.7	11,356	945	8.3	2,369	795	33.6
6 to 15 years	26,156	2,916	11.1	21,921	1,661	7.6	3,837	1,194	31.1
16 to 21 years	13,407	1,248	9.3	11,468	846	7.4	1,738	356	20.5
22 to 44 years	38,097	2,316	6.1	33,087	1,522	4.6	4,473	728	16.3
45 to 54 years	15,355	769	5.0	13,632	507	3.7	1,552	248	16.0
55 to 59 years	6,340	451	7.1	5,655	308	5.4	636	131	20.6
60 to 64 years	5,182	515	9.9	4,708	415	8.8	415	90	21.7
65 years and over	11,539	2,333	20.2	10,613	1,993	18.8	802	312	38.9
Median age ... years	28.9	24.2	(X)	30.0	31.8	(X)	21.9	15.5	(X)

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Table 4. TYPE OF RESIDENCE AND AGE--PERSONS BY POVERTY STATUS IN 1969, SEX, AND RACE--Continued

(Numbers in thousands. Persons as of March 1970)

Type of residence and age	All races			White			Negro		
	Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level	
		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total
ALL PERSONS IN FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS--Continued									
Central Cities									
Total	57,781	7,760	13.4	44,392	4,527	10.2	12,439	3,068	24.7
Under 6 years	5,857	1,146	19.6	3,965	522	13.2	1,781	608	34.1
6 to 15 years	10,558	1,853	17.6	7,380	871	11.8	2,994	956	31.9
16 to 21 years	5,961	773	13.0	4,470	454	10.2	1,363	284	20.8
22 to 44 years	16,212	1,460	9.0	12,402	837	6.7	3,523	581	16.5
45 to 54 years	6,997	493	7.0	5,604	284	5.1	1,295	206	15.9
55 to 59 years	3,234	283	8.8	2,689	168	6.2	505	106	21.0
60 to 64 years	2,711	321	11.8	2,351	236	10.0	330	79	23.9
65 years and over	6,251	1,430	22.9	5,531	1,157	20.9	647	250	38.6
Median age....years	31.2	23.7	(X)	33.8	33.5	(X)	22.5	15.7	(X)
Suburban Rings									
Total	72,236	4,560	6.3	68,049	3,674	5.4	3,384	786	23.2
Under 6 years	8,085	622	7.7	7,391	423	5.7	588	188	32.0
6 to 15 years	15,599	1,063	6.8	14,539	790	5.4	844	238	28.2
16 to 21 years	7,446	475	6.4	6,999	392	5.6	375	72	19.2
22 to 44 years	21,884	856	3.9	20,686	686	3.3	950	147	15.5
45 to 54 years	8,358	276	3.3	8,028	223	2.8	257	42	16.3
55 to 59 years	3,106	167	5.4	2,966	140	4.7	131	26	19.8
60 to 64 years	2,470	194	7.9	2,357	179	7.6	84	12	14.3
65 years and over	5,288	903	17.1	5,082	837	16.5	155	63	40.6
Median age....years	27.2	25.2	(X)	27.7	29.7	(X)	20.2	14.7	(X)
Outside Metropolitan Areas									
Total	69,831	11,969	17.1	62,791	8,468	13.5	6,525	3,359	51.5
Under 6 years	7,636	1,529	20.0	6,537	925	14.2	979	577	58.9
6 to 15 years	14,750	2,840	19.3	12,915	1,813	14.0	1,725	996	57.7
16 to 21 years	7,166	1,166	16.3	6,299	744	11.8	835	407	48.7
22 to 44 years	18,583	2,028	10.9	17,008	1,453	8.5	1,411	539	38.2
45 to 54 years	7,698	897	11.7	7,127	650	9.1	540	239	44.3
55 to 59 years	3,538	477	13.5	3,294	375	11.4	228	99	43.4
60 to 64 years	3,100	573	18.5	2,854	443	15.5	234	125	53.4
65 years and over	7,359	2,454	33.3	6,757	2,059	30.5	572	376	65.7
Median age....years	28.6	27.1	(X)	29.6	33.9	(X)	20.0	17.6	(X)

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Table 4. TYPE OF RESIDENCE AND AGE--PERSONS BY POVERTY STATUS IN 1969, SEX, AND RACE--Continued

(Numbers in thousands. Persons as of March 1970)

Type of residence and age	All races			White			Negro		
	Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level	
		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD AND MALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
United States									
Both sexes	172,492	13,819	8.0	154,757	10,160	6.6	15,727	3,378	21.5
Under 6 years	19,392	1,872	9.7	16,804	1,225	7.3	2,293	607	26.5
6 to 15 years	35,985	3,170	8.8	31,861	2,191	6.9	3,669	915	24.9
16 to 21 years	17,627	1,335	7.6	15,680	967	6.2	1,744	327	18.8
22 to 44 years	51,230	2,789	5.4	46,137	2,062	4.5	4,466	653	14.6
45 to 54 years	20,421	1,091	5.3	18,642	795	4.3	1,593	278	17.5
55 to 59 years	8,303	561	6.8	7,597	420	5.5	644	127	19.7
60 to 64 years	6,682	693	10.4	6,150	563	9.2	474	123	25.9
65 years and over	12,856	2,305	17.9	11,889	1,932	16.3	843	347	41.2
Median age....years	27.9	26.4	(X)	28.5	29.7	(X)	22.8	19.1	(X)
Male	90,543	7,747	8.6	81,013	5,739	7.1	8,475	1,846	21.8
Under 6 years	9,891	968	9.8	8,566	658	7.7	1,181	290	24.6
6 to 15 years	18,385	1,647	9.0	16,299	1,144	7.0	1,864	477	25.6
16 to 21 years	8,654	701	8.1	7,690	532	6.9	863	146	16.9
22 to 44 years	26,502	1,499	5.7	23,776	1,102	4.6	2,411	353	14.6
45 to 54 years	10,794	615	5.7	9,781	434	4.4	914	168	18.4
55 to 59 years	4,633	324	7.0	4,207	238	5.7	389	76	19.5
60 to 64 years	3,806	399	10.5	3,470	316	9.1	293	79	27.0
65 years and over	7,878	1,594	20.2	7,224	1,315	18.2	560	257	45.9
Median age....years	29.2	30.6	(X)	29.7	33.2	(X)	25.1	22.7	(X)
Female	81,966	6,084	7.4	73,755	4,429	6.0	7,255	1,534	21.1
Under 6 years	9,500	903	9.5	8,238	569	6.9	1,114	316	28.4
6 to 15 years	17,611	1,537	8.7	15,572	1,059	6.8	1,807	441	24.4
16 to 21 years	8,973	634	7.1	7,989	435	5.4	882	181	20.5
22 to 44 years	24,729	1,290	5.2	22,361	959	4.3	2,055	300	14.6
45 to 54 years	9,627	476	4.9	8,861	361	4.1	678	110	16.2
55 to 59 years	3,670	238	6.5	3,389	182	5.4	254	51	20.1
60 to 64 years	2,877	294	10.2	2,680	248	9.3	182	44	24.2
65 years and over	4,979	712	14.3	4,665	616	13.2	283	91	32.2
Median age....years	26.6	21.7	(X)	27.2	25.6	(X)	20.8	16.3	(X)
Metropolitan Areas									
Total	111,291	5,933	5.3	98,604	4,312	4.4	11,093	1,442	13.0
Under 6 years	12,440	829	6.7	10,642	550	5.2	1,597	261	16.3
6 to 15 years	22,834	1,280	5.6	19,953	857	4.3	2,516	382	15.2
16 to 21 years	11,339	574	5.1	10,004	441	4.4	1,161	106	9.1
22 to 44 years	34,057	1,297	3.8	30,193	934	3.1	3,378	318	9.4
45 to 54 years	13,537	438	3.2	12,197	298	2.4	1,179	126	10.7
55 to 59 years	5,214	224	4.3	4,705	156	3.3	464	57	12.3
60 to 64 years	4,128	294	7.1	3,771	239	6.3	307	53	17.3
65 years and over	7,741	993	12.8	7,142	835	11.7	491	140	28.5
Median age....years	28.1	27.0	(X)	28.6	29.6	(X)	23.9	20.4	(X)

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Table 4. TYPE OF RESIDENCE AND AGE--PERSONS BY POVERTY STATUS IN 1969, SEX, AND RACE--Continued

(Numbers in thousands. Persons as of March 1970)

Type of residence and age	All races			White			Negro		
	Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level	
		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD AND MALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS--Continued									
Central Cities									
Total	46,290	3,530	7.6	37,005	2,376	6.4	8,455	1,052	12.4
Under 6 years	4,809	470	9.8	3,569	293	8.2	1,139	169	14.8
6 to 15 years	8,521	742	8.7	6,480	456	7.0	1,881	274	14.6
16 to 21 years	4,749	349	7.3	3,767	253	6.7	874	75	8.6
22 to 44 years	13,721	792	5.8	10,871	525	4.8	2,597	235	9.0
45 to 54 years	5,893	275	4.7	4,829	168	3.5	974	103	10.6
55 to 59 years	2,562	141	5.5	2,161	85	3.9	364	46	12.6
60 to 64 years	2,062	181	8.8	1,795	134	7.5	241	46	19.1
65 years and over	3,973	580	14.6	3,533	462	13.1	384	104	27.1
Median age.....years	30.5	27.9	(X)	31.9	30.1	(X)	24.9	22.8	(X)
Suburban Rings									
Total	65,001	2,402	3.7	61,599	1,937	3.1	2,638	391	14.8
Under 6 years	7,631	359	4.7	7,071	257	3.6	458	91	19.9
6 to 15 years	14,313	538	3.8	13,472	401	3.0	635	109	17.2
16 to 21 years	6,590	225	3.4	6,236	189	3.0	287	30	10.5
22 to 44 years	20,337	506	2.5	19,322	409	2.1	781	82	10.5
45 to 54 years	7,644	163	2.1	7,367	130	1.8	205	23	11.2
55 to 59 years	2,652	83	3.1	2,544	71	2.8	100	11	11.0
60 to 64 years	2,066	112	5.4	1,976	105	5.3	66	7	(B)
65 years and over	3,768	413	11.0	3,610	373	10.3	107	37	34.6
Median age.....years	26.5	25.5	(X)	26.8	28.8	(X)	20.7	15.5	(X)
Outside Metropolitan Areas									
Total	61,205	7,890	12.9	56,153	5,848	10.4	4,634	1,936	41.8
Under 6 years	6,952	1,042	15.0	6,163	675	11.0	697	346	49.6
6 to 15 years	13,152	1,891	14.4	11,908	1,335	11.2	1,153	532	46.1
16 to 21 years	6,288	761	12.1	5,676	525	9.2	583	221	37.9
22 to 44 years	17,173	1,492	8.7	15,945	1,128	7.1	1,087	336	30.9
45 to 54 years	6,884	653	9.5	6,445	497	7.7	414	152	36.7
55 to 59 years	3,088	337	10.9	2,892	264	9.1	180	70	38.9
60 to 64 years	2,554	399	15.6	2,379	325	13.7	167	70	41.9
65 years and over	5,115	1,312	25.7	4,746	1,097	23.1	352	207	58.8
Median age.....years	27.6	25.8	(X)	28.2	29.9	(X)	20.8	18.4	(X)

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Table 4. TYPE OF RESIDENCE AND AGE--PERSONS BY POVERTY STATUS IN 1969, SEX, AND RACE--Continued

(Numbers in thousands. Persons as of March 1970)

Type of residence and age	All races			White			Negro		
	Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level	
		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD AND FEMALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
United States									
Both sexes	27,357	10,470	38.3	20,474	6,509	31.8	6,622	3,835	57.9
Under 6 years	2,186	1,427	65.3	1,091	645	59.1	1,055	766	72.6
6 to 15 years	4,921	2,584	52.5	2,974	1,283	43.1	1,894	1,274	67.3
16 to 21 years	2,945	1,078	36.6	2,088	624	29.9	829	436	52.6
22 to 44 years	5,449	1,555	28.5	3,958	914	23.1	1,418	614	43.3
45 to 54 years	2,632	576	21.9	2,117	363	17.1	499	209	41.9
55 to 59 years	1,575	366	23.2	1,352	263	19.5	220	104	47.3
60 to 64 years	1,600	395	24.7	1,412	294	20.8	174	92	52.9
65 years and over	6,042	2,482	41.1	5,481	2,121	38.7	531	341	64.2
Median age ... years	37.3	24.1	(X)	45.6	39.7	(X)	18.6	15.0	(X)
Male	6,283	2,576	41.0	4,092	1,273	31.1	2,120	1,270	59.9
Under 6 years	1,116	727	65.1	585	345	59.0	513	376	73.3
6 to 15 years	2,433	1,300	53.4	1,482	655	44.2	918	628	68.4
16 to 21 years	1,146	339	29.6	789	156	19.8	350	178	50.9
22 to 44 years	995	136	13.7	718	67	9.3	266	64	24.1
45 to 54 years	287	35	12.2	244	28	11.5	41	7	(B)
55 to 59 years	68	6	(B)	63	4	(B)	5	2	(B)
60 to 64 years	54	-	(B)	54	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
65 years and over	184	33	17.9	157	18	11.5	27	15	(B)
Median age ... years	14.3	10.3	(X)	15.9	10.5	(X)	12.0	10.1	(X)
Female	21,091	7,913	37.5	16,393	5,244	32.0	4,511	2,584	57.3
Under 6 years	1,072	700	65.3	505	300	59.4	544	391	71.9
6 to 15 years	2,509	1,306	52.1	1,506	641	42.6	983	655	66.6
16 to 21 years	1,799	740	41.1	1,299	468	36.0	480	258	53.8
22 to 44 years	4,454	1,419	31.9	3,240	847	26.1	1,151	550	47.8
45 to 54 years	2,345	540	23.0	1,873	335	17.9	458	202	44.1
55 to 59 years	1,508	360	23.9	1,289	259	20.1	215	102	47.4
60 to 64 years	1,546	398	25.7	1,357	291	21.4	176	99	56.3
65 years and over	5,858	2,450	41.8	5,324	2,103	39.5	504	327	64.9
Median age ... years	48.0	41.6	(X)	53.8	55.6	(X)	27.0	21.7	(X)
Metropolitan Areas									
Total	18,726	6,387	34.1	13,836	3,888	28.1	4,731	2,412	51.0
Under 6 years	1,502	939	62.5	716	395	55.2	773	534	69.1
6 to 15 years	3,323	1,636	49.2	1,968	804	40.9	1,321	811	61.4
16 to 21 years	2,067	674	32.6	1,465	405	27.6	578	250	43.3
22 to 44 years	4,039	1,019	25.2	2,895	589	20.3	1,095	410	37.4
45 to 54 years	1,818	332	18.3	1,435	209	14.6	373	122	32.7
55 to 59 years	1,125	226	20.1	950	152	16.0	172	75	43.6
60 to 64 years	1,054	221	21.0	937	176	18.8	108	37	34.3
65 years and over	3,798	1,340	35.3	3,470	1,158	33.4	311	172	55.3
Median age ... years	36.1	21.5	(X)	44.0	35.3	(X)	18.8	14.3	(X)

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Table 4. TYPE OF RESIDENCE AND AGE--PERSONS BY POVERTY STATUS IN 1969, SEX, AND RACE--Continued

(Numbers in thousands. Persons as of March 1970)

Type of residence and age	All races			White			Negro		
	Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level	
		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD AND FEMALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS--Continued									
Central Cities									
Total	11,491	4,230	36.8	7,386	2,151	29.1	3,984	2,016	50.6
Under 6 years	1,048	677	64.6	396	229	57.8	642	438	68.2
6 to 15 years	2,036	1,111	54.6	901	414	45.9	1,112	682	61.3
16 to 21 years	1,212	423	34.9	702	201	28.6	489	209	42.7
22 to 44 years	2,492	669	26.8	1,531	311	20.3	926	346	37.4
45 to 54 years	1,104	219	19.8	775	116	15.0	322	103	32.0
55 to 59 years	672	143	21.3	528	83	15.7	141	60	42.6
60 to 64 years	649	139	21.4	556	102	18.3	89	33	37.1
65 years and over	2,278	850	37.3	1,998	694	34.7	263	146	55.5
Median age....years	35.4	20.6	(X)	47.1	39.1	(X)	18.9	14.4	(X)
Suburban Rings									
Total	7,235	2,158	29.8	6,450	1,737	26.9	747	396	53.0
Under 6 years	454	263	57.9	320	166	51.9	130	95	73.1
6 to 15 years	1,287	526	40.9	1,067	389	36.5	210	129	61.4
16 to 21 years	856	250	29.2	762	204	26.8	88	41	46.6
22 to 44 years	1,547	350	22.6	1,364	277	20.3	169	64	37.9
45 to 54 years	714	113	15.8	661	94	14.2	51	20	(B)
55 to 59 years	454	84	18.5	422	69	16.4	31	15	(B)
60 to 64 years	405	82	20.2	381	74	19.4	19	5	(B)
65 years and over	1,520	490	32.2	1,473	464	31.5	47	26	(B)
Median age....years	37.2	24.6	(X)	40.1	31.1	(X)	18.2	13.9	(X)
Outside Metropolitan Areas									
Total	8,626	4,078	47.3	6,638	2,621	39.5	1,891	1,423	75.3
Under 6 years	684	487	71.2	375	250	66.7	283	232	82.0
6 to 15 years	1,599	949	59.3	1,006	479	47.6	572	464	81.1
16 to 21 years	878	405	46.1	623	219	35.2	252	186	73.8
22 to 44 years	1,410	536	38.0	1,063	326	30.7	323	204	63.2
45 to 54 years	814	244	30.0	681	153	22.5	126	87	69.0
55 to 59 years	450	140	31.1	402	111	27.6	48	29	(B)
60 to 64 years	546	174	31.9	475	118	24.8	66	55	(B)
65 years and over	2,244	1,142	50.9	2,011	962	47.8	220	169	76.8
Median age....years	40.8	30.5	(X)	48.7	47.3	(X)	18.1	16.5	(X)

- Represents zero. B Base less than 75,000. X Not applicable.

Table 5. TYPE OF RESIDENCE--FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS BY POVERTY STATUS IN 1969, SEX, AND RACE OF HEAD

(Numbers in thousands. Families and unrelated individuals as of March 1970)

Type of residence	All races			White			Negro		
	Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level	
		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total
ALL FAMILIES									
Total									
United States	51,237	4,950	9.7	46,022	3,555	7.7	4,774	1,326	27.8
Metropolitan areas	33,150	2,416	7.3	29,335	1,650	5.6	3,466	720	20.8
Central cities	14,704	1,484	10.1	11,759	872	7.4	2,740	582	21.2
Suburban rings	18,446	932	5.1	17,576	778	4.4	726	138	19.0
Metropolitan areas of 1,000,000 or more	17,823	1,163	6.5	15,542	736	4.7	2,096	408	19.5
Central cities	7,472	751	10.1	5,666	398	7.0	1,693	337	19.9
Suburban rings	10,351	412	4.0	9,876	338	3.4	402	71	17.7
Metropolitan areas under 1,000,000	15,327	1,252	8.2	13,793	914	6.6	1,371	312	22.8
Central cities	7,232	733	10.1	6,093	474	7.8	1,047	244	23.3
Suburban rings	8,095	519	6.4	7,700	440	5.7	324	68	21.0
Outside metropolitan areas	18,087	2,531	14.0	16,687	1,901	11.4	1,308	606	46.3
Nonfarm	15,863	2,123	13.4	14,611	1,570	10.7	1,174	530	45.1
Farm	2,224	408	18.3	2,077	331	15.9	134	76	56.7
Head Worked Year Round Full Time									
United States	33,458	1,069	3.2	30,625	771	2.5	2,569	282	11.0
Metropolitan areas	22,130	409	1.8	19,940	280	1.4	1,971	118	6.0
Central cities	9,122	238	2.6	7,456	140	1.9	1,540	89	5.8
Suburban rings	13,007	172	1.3	12,485	139	1.1	431	29	6.7
Metropolitan areas of 1,000,000 or more	12,072	172	1.4	10,754	117	1.1	1,194	50	4.2
Central cities	4,600	111	2.4	3,568	62	1.7	956	43	4.5
Suburban rings	7,472	62	0.8	7,186	54	0.8	238	7	2.9
Metropolitan areas of under 1,000,000	10,058	237	2.4	9,186	164	1.8	777	68	8.8
Central cities	4,522	127	2.8	3,888	78	2.0	584	46	7.9
Suburban rings	5,535	110	2.0	5,299	85	1.6	193	22	11.4
Outside metropolitan areas	11,328	660	5.8	10,685	491	4.6	598	164	27.4
Nonfarm	9,746	437	4.5	9,174	294	3.2	535	137	25.6
Farm	1,583	223	14.1	1,511	197	13.0	62	26	(B)
FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD									
Total									
United States	45,656	3,146	6.9	41,836	2,490	6.0	3,425	609	17.8
Metropolitan areas	29,323	1,303	4.4	26,521	1,016	3.8	2,483	258	10.4
Central cities	12,435	746	6.0	10,341	535	5.2	1,912	191	10.0
Suburban rings	16,888	558	3.3	16,181	481	3.0	570	66	11.6
Metropolitan areas of 1,000,000 or more	15,606	572	3.7	13,995	437	3.1	1,437	119	8.3
Central cities	6,137	344	5.6	4,903	233	4.8	1,128	96	8.5
Suburban rings	9,469	228	2.4	9,092	204	2.2	308	22	7.1
Metropolitan areas of under 1,000,000	13,717	731	5.3	12,526	579	4.6	1,046	139	13.3
Central cities	6,298	402	6.4	5,438	302	5.6	784	95	12.1
Suburban rings	7,419	330	4.4	7,089	277	3.9	262	44	16.8
Outside metropolitan areas	16,334	1,840	11.3	15,316	1,472	9.6	942	351	37.3
Nonfarm	14,226	1,471	10.3	13,326	1,158	8.7	833	296	35.5
Farm	2,109	369	17.5	1,991	313	15.7	109	55	50.5
Head Worked Year Round Full Time									
United States	31,725	926	2.9	29,265	718	2.5	2,203	193	8.8
Metropolitan areas	20,853	333	1.6	18,963	252	1.3	1,675	70	4.2
Central cities	8,403	181	2.2	6,980	124	1.8	1,299	48	3.7
Suburban rings	12,449	152	1.2	11,984	127	1.1	377	22	5.8
Metropolitan areas of 1,000,000 or more	11,320	137	1.2	10,214	107	1.0	986	24	2.4
Central cities	4,164	81	1.9	3,313	55	1.7	777	20	2.6
Suburban rings	7,156	56	0.8	6,901	51	0.7	209	4	1.9
Metropolitan areas of under 1,000,000	9,534	196	2.1	8,749	145	1.7	690	46	6.7
Central cities	4,239	100	2.4	3,667	69	1.9	522	28	5.4
Suburban rings	5,293	96	1.8	5,083	76	1.5	168	18	10.7
Outside metropolitan areas	10,871	593	5.5	10,302	466	4.5	527	123	23.3
Nonfarm	9,311	370	4.0	8,813	269	3.1	464	96	20.7
Farm	1,561	223	14.3	1,489	197	13.2	62	26	(B)

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Table 5. TYPE OF RESIDENCE--FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS BY POVERTY STATUS IN 1969, SEX, AND RACE OF HEAD--Continued

(Numbers in thousands. Families and unrelated individuals as of March 1970)

Type of residence	All races			White			Negro		
	Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level	
		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total
FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD									
Total									
United States	5,581	1,804	32.3	4,186	1,065	25.4	1,349	718	53.2
Metropolitan areas	3,827	1,112	29.1	2,814	634	22.5	983	462	47.0
Central cities	2,269	738	32.5	1,418	337	23.8	828	390	47.1
Suburban rings	1,558	373	23.9	1,395	297	21.3	156	73	46.8
Metropolitan areas of 1,000,000 or more	2,217	591	26.7	1,547	299	19.3	659	289	43.9
Central cities	1,335	407	30.5	763	165	21.6	565	241	42.7
Suburban rings	882	184	20.9	784	134	17.1	94	49	52.1
Metropolitan areas of under 1,000,000	1,610	521	32.4	1,267	335	26.4	325	173	53.2
Central cities	934	331	35.4	655	172	26.3	263	149	56.7
Suburban rings	676	189	28.0	611	163	26.7	62	24	(B)
Outside metropolitan areas	1,753	691	39.4	1,371	429	31.3	366	255	69.7
Nonfarm	1,637	652	39.8	1,285	412	32.1	341	234	68.6
Farm	115	39	33.9	86	18	20.9	25	21	(B)
Head Worked Year Round Full Time									
United States	1,733	143	8.3	1,360	53	3.9	366	89	24.3
Metropolitan areas	1,277	76	6.0	977	28	2.9	296	48	16.2
Central cities	719	57	7.9	476	16	3.4	241	41	17.0
Suburban rings	558	20	3.6	501	12	2.4	54	7	(B)
Metropolitan areas of 1,000,000 or more	752	35	4.7	540	10	1.9	208	26	12.5
Central cities	436	30	6.9	255	7	2.7	179	23	12.8
Suburban rings	316	6	1.9	285	3	1.1	29	3	(B)
Metropolitan areas of under 1,000,000	524	41	7.8	437	19	4.3	87	22	25.3
Central cities	283	27	9.5	221	9	4.1	62	18	(B)
Suburban rings	242	14	5.8	216	9	4.2	25	4	(B)
Outside metropolitan areas	457	67	14.7	383	25	6.5	71	41	(B)
Nonfarm	435	67	15.4	361	25	6.9	71	41	(B)
Farm	22	-	(B)	22	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
ALL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
Total									
United States	14,452	4,851	33.6	12,473	3,962	31.8	1,752	806	46.0
Metropolitan areas	10,175	2,907	28.6	8,664	2,337	27.0	1,325	508	38.3
Central cities	6,378	1,872	29.4	5,096	1,400	27.5	1,166	428	36.7
Suburban rings	3,797	1,035	27.3	3,568	937	26.3	159	80	50.3
Metropolitan areas of 1,000,000 or more	6,076	1,561	25.7	5,154	1,251	24.3	840	279	33.2
Central cities	3,729	1,001	26.8	2,911	729	25.0	754	245	32.5
Suburban rings	2,347	560	23.9	2,243	523	23.3	86	34	39.5
Metropolitan areas of under 1,000,000	4,099	1,346	32.8	3,510	1,085	30.9	485	229	47.2
Central cities	2,649	871	32.9	2,184	671	30.7	412	183	44.4
Suburban rings	1,450	474	32.7	1,326	414	31.2	73	46	(B)
Outside metropolitan areas	4,277	1,944	45.5	3,809	1,625	42.7	427	299	70.0
Nonfarm	3,988	1,829	45.9	3,563	1,540	43.2	384	270	70.3
Farm	288	115	39.9	246	86	35.0	42	29	(B)
Worked Year Round Full Time									
United States	5,071	341	6.7	4,366	269	6.2	638	68	10.7
Metropolitan areas	3,903	215	5.5	3,296	165	5.0	546	46	8.4
Central cities	2,501	135	5.4	1,961	93	4.7	495	40	8.1
Suburban rings	1,403	80	5.7	1,335	72	5.4	51	7	(B)
Metropolitan areas of 1,000,000 or more	2,442	124	5.1	2,044	104	5.1	362	18	5.0
Central cities	1,539	75	4.9	1,182	59	5.0	332	14	4.2
Suburban rings	904	49	5.4	862	45	5.2	30	4	(B)
Metropolitan areas of under 1,000,000	1,461	92	6.3	1,252	61	4.9	184	28	15.2
Central cities	962	60	6.2	779	34	4.4	163	26	16.0
Suburban rings	499	31	6.2	473	27	5.7	21	3	(B)
Outside metropolitan areas	1,168	126	10.8	1,070	104	9.7	92	22	23.9
Nonfarm	1,096	118	10.8	1,004	96	9.6	86	22	25.6
Farm	72	8	(B)	66	8	(B)	6	-	(B)

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 5. TYPE OF RESIDENCE--FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS BY POVERTY STATUS IN 1969, SEX, AND RACE OF HEAD--Continued

(Numbers in thousands. Families and unrelated individuals as of March 1970)

Type of residence	All races			White			Negro		
	Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level	
		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total
MALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
Total									
United States	5,441	1,379	25.3	4,473	1,047	23.4	813	287	35.2
Metropolitan areas	3,953	837	21.2	3,190	609	19.1	633	194	30.6
Central cities	2,508	576	23.0	1,877	393	20.9	554	157	28.3
Suburban rings	1,445	259	17.9	1,313	215	16.4	79	37	46.8
Metropolitan areas of 1,000,000 or more	2,376	449	18.9	1,937	319	16.5	389	112	28.8
Central cities	1,512	324	21.4	1,130	219	19.4	343	90	26.2
Suburban rings	864	125	14.5	807	101	12.5	46	22	(B)
Metropolitan areas of under 1,000,000	1,577	388	24.6	1,253	289	23.1	244	82	33.6
Central cities	996	252	25.3	747	174	23.3	211	67	31.8
Suburban rings	581	134	23.1	506	114	22.5	33	15	(B)
Outside metropolitan areas	1,487	542	36.4	1,283	439	34.2	180	93	51.7
Nonfarm	1,324	494	37.3	1,146	404	35.3	155	80	51.6
Farm	162	49	30.2	137	36	26.3	25	13	(B)
Worked Year Round Full Time									
United States	2,415	147	6.1	2,005	111	5.5	360	36	10.0
Metropolitan areas	1,871	95	5.1	1,527	70	4.6	300	25	8.3
Central cities	1,175	60	5.1	876	40	4.6	266	21	7.9
Suburban rings	697	35	5.0	651	30	4.6	34	6	(B)
Metropolitan areas of 1,000,000 or more	1,192	60	5.0	981	49	5.0	188	11	5.9
Central cities	742	34	4.6	558	28	5.0	168	7	4.2
Suburban rings	451	25	5.5	423	21	5.0	20	4	(B)
Metropolitan areas of under 1,000,000	679	37	5.4	546	21	3.8	112	14	12.5
Central cities	433	26	6.0	318	12	3.8	98	14	14.3
Suburban rings	246	10	4.1	228	9	3.9	14	2	(B)
Outside metropolitan areas	544	52	9.6	478	41	8.6	60	11	(B)
Nonfarm	489	46	9.4	429	35	8.2	54	11	(B)
Farm	55	5	(B)	49	5	(B)	6	-	(B)
FEMALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
Total									
United States	9,011	3,472	38.5	8,000	2,915	36.4	939	520	55.4
Metropolitan areas	6,222	2,070	33.3	5,474	1,728	31.6	692	314	45.4
Central cities	3,870	1,296	33.5	3,218	1,007	31.3	612	271	44.3
Suburban rings	2,352	775	33.0	2,256	722	32.0	80	43	53.8
Metropolitan areas of 1,000,000 or more	3,700	1,112	30.1	3,217	932	29.0	451	167	37.0
Central cities	2,217	677	30.5	1,781	510	28.6	411	155	37.7
Suburban rings	1,483	435	29.3	1,436	422	29.4	40	12	(B)
Metropolitan areas of under 1,000,000	2,522	958	38.0	2,257	796	35.3	241	147	61.0
Central cities	1,653	619	37.4	1,437	497	34.6	201	116	57.7
Suburban rings	869	340	39.1	820	300	36.6	40	31	(B)
Outside metropolitan areas	2,790	1,402	50.3	2,526	1,186	47.0	247	206	83.4
Nonfarm	2,664	1,335	50.1	2,417	1,136	47.0	229	190	83.0
Farm	126	66	52.4	109	50	45.9	17	16	(B)
Worked Year Round Full Time									
United States	2,656	194	7.3	2,361	158	6.7	278	32	11.5
Metropolitan areas	2,032	120	5.9	1,769	95	5.4	246	21	8.5
Central cities	1,326	75	5.7	1,085	53	4.9	229	19	8.3
Suburban rings	706	45	6.4	684	42	6.1	17	1	(B)
Metropolitan areas of 1,000,000 or more	1,250	64	5.1	1,063	55	5.2	174	7	4.0
Central cities	797	41	5.1	624	31	5.0	164	7	4.3
Suburban rings	453	24	5.3	439	24	5.5	10	-	(B)
Metropolitan areas of under 1,000,000	782	55	7.0	706	40	5.7	72	14	(B)
Central cities	529	34	6.4	461	22	4.8	65	12	(B)
Suburban rings	253	21	8.3	245	18	7.3	7	1	(B)
Outside metropolitan areas	624	74	11.9	592	63	10.6	32	11	(B)
Nonfarm	607	72	11.9	575	61	10.6	32	11	(B)
Farm	17	3	(B)	17	3	(B)	-	-	(B)

- Represents zero. B Base less than 75,000.

Table 6. REGION--FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS BY POVERTY STATUS IN 1969, SEX, AND RACE OF HEAD

(Numbers in thousands. Families and unrelated individuals as of March 1970)

Region	All races			White			Negro		
	Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level	
		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total
ALL FAMILIES									
Total	51,237	4,950	9.7	46,022	3,555	7.7	4,774	1,326	27.8
Northeast	12,373	836	6.8	11,382	641	5.6	953	190	19.9
North Central	14,358	1,071	7.5	13,367	876	6.6	952	188	19.7
South	15,772	2,328	14.8	13,247	1,431	10.8	2,477	884	35.7
West	8,736	714	8.2	8,029	606	7.5	392	64	16.3
FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD									
Total	45,656	3,146	6.9	41,836	2,490	6.0	3,425	609	17.8
Northeast	10,819	461	4.3	10,167	411	4.0	617	45	7.3
North Central	13,065	722	5.5	12,327	650	5.3	703	66	9.4
South	13,912	1,528	11.0	12,056	1,043	8.7	1,812	473	26.1
West	7,861	435	5.5	7,289	385	5.3	293	25	8.5
FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD									
Total	5,581	1,804	32.3	4,186	1,065	25.4	1,349	718	53.2
Northeast	1,554	375	24.1	1,215	230	18.9	336	145	43.2
North Central	1,293	349	27.0	1,040	226	21.7	249	122	49.0
South	1,860	800	43.0	1,190	388	32.6	665	412	62.0
West	875	279	31.9	740	221	29.9	99	39	39.4
ALL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
Total	14,452	4,851	33.6	12,473	3,962	31.8	1,752	806	46.0
Northeast	3,609	1,039	28.8	3,184	911	28.6	406	122	30.0
North Central	4,014	1,412	35.2	3,626	1,243	34.3	357	158	44.3
South	3,922	1,625	41.4	3,056	1,141	37.3	845	474	56.1
West	2,908	776	26.7	2,606	668	25.6	143	53	37.1
MALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
Total	5,441	1,379	25.3	4,473	1,047	23.4	813	287	35.2
Northeast	1,320	277	21.0	1,122	227	20.2	191	48	25.1
North Central	1,433	378	26.4	1,248	318	25.5	159	53	33.3
South	1,419	455	32.1	1,012	288	28.5	391	160	40.9
West	1,271	270	21.2	1,091	217	19.9	72	26	(B)
FEMALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
Total	9,011	3,472	38.5	8,000	2,915	36.4	939	520	55.4
Northeast	2,289	762	33.3	2,062	684	33.2	215	74	34.4
North Central	2,581	1,034	40.1	2,378	925	38.9	198	105	53.0
South	2,503	1,170	46.7	2,045	853	41.7	455	314	69.0
West	1,637	506	30.9	1,515	451	29.8	71	27	(B)

B Base less than 75,000.

Table 7. SIZE OF FAMILY--FAMILIES BY POVERTY STATUS IN 1969, SEX, AND RACE OF HEAD

(Numbers in thousands. Families as of March 1970)

Size of family	All races			White			Negro and other races					
							Total			Negro		
	Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level	
		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total
ALL FAMILIES												
Total	51,237	4,950	9.7	46,022	3,555	7.7	5,215	1,395	26.7	4,774	1,326	27.8
2 persons	17,654	1,896	10.7	16,186	1,535	9.5	1,467	361	24.6	1,370	339	24.7
3 persons	10,687	792	7.4	9,636	593	6.2	1,051	198	18.8	950	188	19.8
4 persons	9,894	679	6.9	9,048	483	5.3	846	196	23.2	768	189	24.6
5 persons	6,426	517	8.0	5,799	352	6.1	627	165	26.3	558	157	28.1
6 persons	3,467	391	11.3	2,974	228	7.7	493	163	33.1	453	161	35.5
7 persons or more	3,109	675	21.7	2,379	364	15.3	730	311	42.6	675	292	43.3
Median size of family	3.25	3.23	(X)	3.21	2.91	(X)	3.61	4.21	(X)	3.59	4.22	(X)
Mean size of family	3.62	3.93	(X)	3.54	3.57	(X)	4.32	4.82	(X)	4.31	4.83	(X)
FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD												
Total	45,656	3,146	6.9	41,836	2,490	6.0	3,820	656	17.2	3,425	609	17.8
2 persons	15,125	1,313	8.7	14,085	1,130	8.0	1,039	183	17.6	962	174	18.1
3 persons	9,356	418	4.5	8,586	338	3.9	770	79	10.3	678	69	10.2
4 persons	9,130	380	4.2	8,503	302	3.6	627	78	12.4	554	75	13.5
5 persons	5,985	298	5.0	5,530	240	4.3	455	58	12.7	389	51	13.1
6 persons	3,215	237	7.4	2,842	165	5.8	373	72	19.3	335	71	21.2
7 persons or more	2,844	500	17.6	2,289	314	13.7	555	186	33.5	507	169	33.3
Median size of family	3.32	3.12	(X)	3.30	2.84	(X)	3.66	4.35	(X)	3.63	4.31	(X)
Mean size of family	3.66	3.95	(X)	3.60	3.66	(X)	4.36	5.08	(X)	4.34	5.08	(X)
FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD												
Total	5,581	1,804	32.3	4,186	1,065	25.4	1,395	739	53.0	1,349	718	53.2
2 persons	2,529	583	23.1	2,101	405	19.3	428	178	41.6	408	165	40.4
3 persons	1,331	374	28.1	1,050	255	24.3	281	119	42.3	272	119	43.8
4 persons	764	299	39.1	545	181	33.2	219	118	53.9	214	114	53.3
5 persons	441	219	49.7	269	112	41.6	172	107	62.2	169	106	62.7
6 persons	252	154	61.1	132	63	47.7	120	91	75.8	118	90	76.3
7 persons or more	265	175	66.0	90	50	55.6	175	125	71.4	168	123	73.2
Median size of family	3.70	3.35	(X)	2.49	3.00	(X)	3.46	4.11	(X)	3.48	4.16	(X)
Mean size of family	3.29	3.88	(X)	2.98	3.38	(X)	4.21	4.60	(X)	4.22	4.62	(X)

X Not applicable.

Table 8. NUMBER OF FAMILY MEMBERS UNDER 18 YEARS OLD--FAMILIES BY POVERTY STATUS IN 1969, SEX, AND RACE OF HEAD

(Numbers in thousands. Families as of March 1970)

Number of family members under 18[1]	All races			White			Negro and other races					
							Total			Negro		
	Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level	
		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total
ALL FAMILIES												
Total	51,237	4,950	9.7	46,022	3,555	7.7	5,215	1,395	26.7	4,774	1,326	27.8
No family members under 18 years	21,410	1,745	8.2	19,821	1,462	7.4	1,589	284	17.9	1,457	259	17.8
With family members under 18 years	29,827	3,205	10.7	26,201	2,093	8.0	3,626	1,111	30.6	3,317	1,067	32.2
1 under 18	9,765	751	7.7	8,708	537	6.2	1,057	214	20.2	953	204	21.4
2 under 18	9,208	748	8.1	8,323	546	6.6	885	202	22.8	810	198	24.4
3 under 18	5,585	595	10.7	4,977	404	8.1	608	191	31.4	542	180	33.2
4 under 18	2,848	450	15.8	2,395	273	11.4	453	177	39.1	425	170	40.0
5 under 18	1,286	320	24.9	1,017	190	18.7	269	130	48.3	250	123	49.2
6 or more under 18	1,135	342	30.1	781	146	18.7	354	196	55.4	338	192	56.8
Median number of family members under 18 per family with such members	2.06	2.67	(X)	2.03	2.43	(X)	2.35	3.23	(X)	2.37	3.23	(X)
Mean number of family members under 18 per family with such members	2.34	3.06	(X)	2.26	2.76	(X)	2.94	3.64	(X)	2.94	3.64	(X)
FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD												
Total	45,656	3,146	6.9	41,836	2,490	6.0	3,820	656	17.2	3,425	609	17.8
No family members under 18 years	19,204	1,438	7.5	17,898	1,235	6.9	1,305	203	15.6	1,193	190	15.9
With family members under 18 years	26,452	1,708	6.5	23,938	1,255	5.2	2,515	453	18.0	2,232	418	18.7
1 under 18	8,545	385	4.5	7,795	305	3.9	750	80	10.7	655	72	11.0
2 under 18	8,246	360	4.4	7,619	286	3.8	627	74	11.8	556	72	12.9
3 under 18	5,039	315	6.3	4,623	241	5.2	416	74	17.8	353	66	18.7
4 under 18	2,545	248	9.7	2,232	176	7.9	313	72	23.0	287	66	23.0
5 under 18	1,127	195	17.3	943	140	14.8	184	55	29.9	166	48	28.9
6 or more under 18	950	205	21.6	725	108	14.9	225	97	43.1	215	95	44.2
Median number of family members under 18 per family with such members	2.07	2.85	(X)	2.05	2.65	(X)	2.31	3.49	(X)	2.33	3.48	(X)
Mean number of family members under 18 per family with such members	2.33	3.19	(X)	2.28	2.94	(X)	2.89	3.89	(X)	2.90	3.92	(X)
FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD												
Total	5,581	1,804	32.3	4,186	1,065	25.4	1,395	739	53.0	1,349	718	53.2
No family members under 18 years	2,207	307	13.9	1,923	226	11.8	284	81	28.5	264	69	26.1
With family members under 18 years	3,374	1,497	44.4	2,263	839	37.1	1,111	658	59.2	1,085	649	59.8
1 under 18	1,220	366	30.0	913	232	25.4	307	134	43.6	298	132	44.3
2 under 18	962	388	40.3	704	260	36.9	258	128	49.6	254	126	49.6
3 under 18	546	280	51.3	354	163	46.0	192	117	60.9	189	114	60.3
4 under 18	303	202	66.7	163	97	59.5	140	105	75.0	138	104	75.4
5 under 18	159	125	78.6	74	50	(B)	85	75	88.2	84	75	89.3
6 or more under 18	185	137	74.1	56	38	(B)	129	99	76.7	123	97	78.9
Median number of family members under 18 per family with such members	1.99	2.49	(X)	1.81	2.22	(X)	2.47	3.07	(X)	2.46	3.09	(X)
Mean number of family members under 18 per family with such members	2.39	2.92	(X)	2.06	2.49	(X)	3.04	3.47	(X)	3.03	3.45	(X)

B Base less than 75,000. X Not applicable.
[1]Other than head or wife.

Table 9. AGE OF HEAD--FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS BY POVERTY STATUS IN 1969, SEX, AND RACE OF HEAD

(Numbers in thousands. Families and unrelated individuals as of March 1970)

Age of head	All races			White			Negro and other races					
							Total			Negro		
	Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level	
		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total
ALL FAMILIES												
Total	51,237	4,950	9.7	46,022	3,555	7.7	5,215	1,395	26.7	4,774	1,326	27.8
Under 35 years	14,132	1,477	10.4	12,437	1,001	8.1	1,696	475	28.0	1,559	453	29.0
Under 25 years	3,524	528	15.0	3,056	373	12.2	468	155	33.0	443	151	34.1
25 to 34 years	10,608	949	8.9	9,381	628	6.7	1,228	320	26.1	1,116	302	27.0
35 to 44 years	10,884	870	8.0	9,752	591	6.1	1,132	279	24.6	1,044	270	25.9
45 to 54 years	10,829	703	6.5	9,803	483	4.9	1,026	219	21.4	936	210	22.5
55 to 64 years	8,314	658	7.9	7,516	465	6.2	798	193	24.2	729	182	24.9
65 years and over	7,078	1,243	17.6	6,515	1,014	15.6	563	228	40.6	507	211	41.7
Median age.....years	45.6	46.8	(X)	45.8	48.8	(X)	43.1	43.0	(X)	42.9	42.8	(X)
Head Worked Year Round Full Time												
Total	33,458	1,069	3.2	30,625	771	2.5	2,833	298	10.5	2,569	282	11.0
Under 35 years	9,681	329	3.4	8,722	225	2.6	958	106	11.1	883	100	11.3
Under 25 years	1,734	69	4.0	1,515	46	3.0	219	24	11.0	210	24	11.4
25 to 34 years	7,947	260	3.3	7,207	179	2.5	739	82	11.1	673	76	11.3
35 to 44 years	8,677	286	3.3	7,966	201	2.5	711	86	12.1	641	81	12.6
45 to 54 years	8,480	246	2.9	7,814	181	2.3	665	64	9.6	590	63	10.7
55 to 64 years	5,633	149	2.6	5,193	111	2.1	439	38	8.7	401	34	8.5
65 years and over	988	59	6.0	929	54	5.8	59	5	(B)	53	5	(B)
Median age.....years	43.1	42.2	(X)	43.3	43.0	(X)	41.4	40.1	(X)	41.3	40.1	(X)
FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD												
Total	45,656	3,146	6.9	41,836	2,490	6.0	3,820	656	17.2	3,425	609	17.8
Under 35 years	12,775	738	5.8	11,566	573	5.0	1,209	165	13.7	1,084	150	13.8
Under 25 years	3,087	264	8.6	2,773	217	7.8	313	47	15.0	293	45	15.4
25 to 34 years	9,688	474	4.9	8,793	355	4.0	895	119	13.2	791	105	13.3
35 to 44 years	9,809	490	5.0	9,002	379	4.2	806	111	13.8	725	107	14.7
45 to 54 years	9,713	454	4.7	8,933	339	3.8	781	115	14.8	698	106	15.2
55 to 64 years	7,397	485	6.6	6,772	365	5.4	625	120	19.1	565	111	19.7
65 years and over	5,963	980	16.4	5,564	836	15.0	398	144	36.1	352	135	38.2
Median age.....years	45.3	52.6	(X)	45.4	53.7	(X)	43.7	49.5	(X)	43.7	49.5	(X)
Head Worked Year Round Full Time												
Total	31,725	926	2.9	29,265	718	2.5	2,460	208	8.5	2,203	193	8.8
Under 35 years	9,274	275	3.0	8,454	206	2.4	819	69	8.4	746	65	8.7
Under 25 years	1,640	64	3.9	1,443	42	2.9	197	22	11.2	188	22	11.7
25 to 34 years	7,634	211	2.8	7,011	164	2.3	622	47	7.6	558	43	7.7
35 to 44 years	8,234	248	3.0	7,634	190	2.5	600	58	9.7	529	53	10.0
45 to 54 years	7,995	217	2.7	7,404	168	2.3	592	49	8.3	522	48	9.2
55 to 64 years	5,289	130	2.5	4,894	103	2.1	395	27	6.8	357	23	6.4
65 years and over	933	55	5.9	878	52	5.9	55	4	(B)	49	4	(B)
Median age.....years	43.0	42.6	(X)	43.1	43.1	(X)	41.9	40.9	(X)	41.7	40.9	(X)
FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD												
Total	5,581	1,804	32.3	4,186	1,065	25.4	1,395	739	53.0	1,349	718	53.2
Under 35 years	1,357	738	54.4	870	428	49.2	487	310	63.6	474	303	63.9
Under 25 years	437	263	60.2	283	156	55.1	155	108	69.6	150	106	70.9
25 to 34 years	920	475	51.6	588	273	46.4	332	202	60.8	324	197	60.6
35 to 44 years	1,075	379	35.3	749	212	28.3	326	167	51.4	319	164	51.2
45 to 54 years	1,115	249	22.3	870	145	16.6	245	104	42.4	237	104	43.9
55 to 64 years	917	174	18.9	744	100	13.4	173	74	42.7	164	70	43.0
65 years and over	1,115	263	23.6	951	179	18.8	164	84	51.3	155	77	49.5
Median age.....years	48.2	39.3	(X)	50.4	39.9	(X)	41.5	38.6	(X)	41.3	38.4	(X)
Head Worked Year Round Full Time												
Total	1,733	143	8.3	1,360	53	3.9	373	90	24.1	366	89	24.3
Under 35 years	407	54	13.3	268	18	6.7	140	36	25.7	138	35	25.4
Under 25 years	94	5	5.3	72	4	(B)	23	1	(B)	23	1	(B)
25 to 34 years	313	49	15.7	196	14	7.1	117	35	29.9	115	34	29.6
35 to 44 years	443	38	8.6	332	11	3.3	112	28	25.0	112	28	25.0
45 to 54 years	484	29	6.0	411	14	3.4	74	15	(B)	68	15	(B)
55 to 64 years	343	18	5.2	299	8	2.7	44	10	(B)	44	10	(B)
65 years and over	55	4	(B)	51	3	(B)	4	1	(B)	4	1	(B)
Median age.....years	45.3	39.6	(X)	47.0	43.2	(X)	39.2	38.2	(X)	39.0	38.4	(X)

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 9. AGE OF HEAD--FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS BY POVERTY STATUS IN 1969, SEX, AND RACE OF HEAD--Continued

(Numbers in thousands. Families and unrelated individuals as of March 1970)

Age of head	All races			White			Negro and other races					
							Total			Negro		
	Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level	
		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total
ALL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS												
Total	14,452	4,851	33.6	12,473	3,962	31.8	1,979	889	44.9	1,752	806	46.0
Under 35 years	3,272	865	26.4	2,795	718	25.7	478	147	30.9	381	106	27.7
Under 25 years	1,735	667	38.5	1,517	571	37.6	218	97	44.5	187	76	40.5
25 to 34 years	1,537	198	12.9	1,278	147	11.5	260	51	19.5	195	30	15.5
35 to 44 years	1,092	187	17.1	784	108	13.7	308	79	25.8	278	78	28.0
45 to 54 years	1,742	377	21.7	1,386	243	17.5	356	135	37.8	338	129	38.3
55 to 64 years	2,724	761	27.9	2,394	594	24.8	331	167	50.5	306	158	51.6
65 years and over	5,622	2,660	47.3	5,115	2,300	45.0	507	361	71.1	449	336	74.7
Median age....years	59.1	65.0+	(X)	60.3	65.0+	(X)	50.7	60.0	(X)	51.4	60.7	(X)
Worked Year Round Full Time												
Total	5,071	341	6.7	4,366	269	6.2	705	72	10.2	638	68	10.7
Under 35 years	1,548	86	5.6	1,323	76	5.7	225	8	3.6	202	7	3.5
Under 25 years	517	47	9.1	445	43	9.7	72	3	(B)	68	2	(B)
25 to 34 years	1,031	39	3.8	878	33	3.8	153	5	3.3	134	5	3.7
35 to 44 years	746	52	7.0	565	34	6.0	181	19	10.5	164	19	11.6
45 to 54 years	1,065	78	7.3	905	62	6.9	160	16	10.0	148	16	10.8
55 to 64 years	1,302	70	5.4	1,185	50	4.2	117	20	17.1	102	18	17.6
65 years and over	410	55	13.4	388	46	11.9	23	9	(B)	23	9	(B)
Median age....years	47.3	49.2	(X)	48.3	48.9	(X)	42.1	50.6	(X)	42.2	50.3	(X)
MALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS												
Total	5,441	1,379	25.3	4,473	1,047	23.4	968	332	34.3	813	287	35.2
Under 35 years	1,768	374	21.2	1,491	296	19.8	277	79	28.5	224	58	25.6
Under 25 years	823	267	32.5	705	223	31.6	118	45	38.0	106	39	37.1
25 to 34 years	946	107	11.3	786	73	9.3	159	34	21.5	118	18	15.3
35 to 44 years	662	80	12.1	467	49	10.4	195	32	16.2	167	30	17.9
45 to 54 years	780	138	17.7	600	82	13.7	180	56	30.9	165	52	31.6
55 to 64 years	805	219	27.3	681	173	25.4	124	46	37.3	104	40	38.7
65 years and over	1,426	567	39.8	1,234	448	36.3	192	119	62.1	153	107	70.0
Median age....years	48.7	59.4	(X)	49.6	60.6	(X)	45.7	54.8	(X)	45.9	55.9	(X)
Worked Year Round Full Time												
Total	2,415	147	6.1	2,005	111	5.5	410	36	8.8	360	36	10.0
Under 35 years	864	42	4.9	728	36	4.9	136	6	4.4	123	6	4.9
Under 25 years	237	22	9.3	193	20	10.4	44	2	(B)	43	2	(B)
25 to 34 years	627	20	3.2	535	16	3.0	92	4	4.3	80	4	5.0
35 to 44 years	473	27	5.7	345	12	3.5	128	15	11.7	113	15	13.3
45 to 54 years	507	34	6.7	422	29	6.9	85	5	5.9	75	5	6.7
55 to 64 years	422	24	5.7	372	18	4.8	51	6	(B)	38	6	(B)
65 years and over	148	20	13.5	137	16	11.7	11	4	(B)	11	4	(B)
Median age....years	42.3	46.3	(X)	42.9	47.6	(X)	40.4	43.0	(X)	40.0	43.0	(X)
FEMALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS												
Total	9,011	3,472	38.5	8,000	2,914	36.4	1,011	557	55.1	939	520	55.4
Under 35 years	1,504	491	32.6	1,303	422	32.4	201	69	34.2	157	48	30.8
Under 25 years	912	400	43.9	812	348	42.8	100	52	52.2	80	36	45.1
25 to 34 years	592	91	15.4	491	75	15.2	100	16	16.2	77	12	15.8
35 to 44 years	430	107	24.9	317	59	18.6	113	48	42.5	111	48	43.1
45 to 54 years	962	239	24.9	786	160	20.4	176	79	44.8	173	77	44.6
55 to 64 years	1,920	541	28.2	1,713	421	24.6	207	121	58.3	202	118	58.3
65 years and over	4,196	2,093	49.9	3,881	1,852	47.7	315	241	76.6	296	229	77.2
Median age....years	63.4	65.0+	(X)	64.3	65.0+	(X)	55.8	61.9	(X)	56.4	62.4	(X)
Worked Year Round Full Time												
Total	2,656	194	7.3	2,361	158	6.7	295	36	12.2	278	32	11.5
Under 35 years	684	44	6.4	594	41	6.9	89	3	3.4	78	1	1.3
Under 25 years	280	25	8.9	252	23	9.1	28	2	(B)	24	-	(B)
25 to 34 years	404	19	4.7	342	18	5.3	61	1	(B)	54	1	(B)
35 to 44 years	273	26	9.5	221	22	10.0	53	4	(B)	51	4	(B)
45 to 54 years	558	44	7.9	483	33	6.8	75	11	14.7	73	11	(B)
55 to 64 years	879	46	5.2	813	32	3.9	66	14	(B)	64	12	(B)
65 years and over	262	35	13.4	250	30	12.0	12	5	(B)	12	5	(B)
Median age....years	51.6	51.3	(X)	52.6	49.8	(X)	45.7	55.4	(X)	46.4	55.4	(X)

- Represents zero. B Base less than 75,000. X Not applicable.

Table 10. PRESENCE OF OWN CHILDREN--FAMILIES BY POVERTY STATUS IN 1969, TYPE OF FAMILY, AND AGE OF HEAD

(Numbers in thousands. Families as of March 1970)

Age of head and presence of own children	All families			Husband-wife families			Other families with male head			Families with female head		
	Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level	
		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total
Total	51,237	4,950	9.7	44,436	2,998	6.7	1,221	147	12.0	5,581	1,804	32.3
Head under 25 years	3,524	528	15.0	3,013	240	8.0	73	24	(B)	437	263	60.2
No own children under 18	1,415	94	6.6	1,296	72	5.6	54	9	(B)	65	14	(B)
One or more own children under 18	2,109	434	20.6	1,718	168	9.8	19	16	(B)	372	250	67.2
All under 6	1,932	342	17.7	1,623	149	9.2	3	-	(B)	306	193	63.1
Some under 6, some 6 to 17	132	69	52.3	73	16	(B)	5	5	(B)	54	47	(B)
All 6 to 17	45	23	(B)	22	2	(B)	10	10	(B)	13	10	(B)
Head 25 to 44 years	21,492	1,818	8.5	19,160	937	4.9	337	28	8.3	1,995	854	42.8
No own children under 18	2,931	90	3.1	2,550	55	2.2	186	15	8.1	195	20	10.3
One or more own children under 18	18,561	1,728	9.3	16,610	881	5.3	151	13	8.6	1,800	834	46.3
All under 6	4,446	279	6.3	4,258	191	4.5	25	3	(B)	163	85	52.1
Some under 6, some 6 to 17	6,401	826	12.9	5,829	469	8.0	26	4	(B)	546	353	64.7
All 6 to 17	7,714	623	8.1	6,523	221	3.4	101	6	5.9	1,091	396	36.3
Head 45 to 64 years	19,143	1,363	7.1	16,619	897	5.4	492	43	8.7	2,032	422	20.8
No own children under 18	11,342	666	5.9	9,718	454	4.7	336	23	6.8	1,288	188	14.6
One or more own children under 18	7,801	696	8.9	6,901	443	6.4	156	19	12.2	744	234	31.5
Head 65 years and over	7,078	1,239	17.5	5,644	924	16.4	319	52	16.3	1,115	263	23.6
No own children under 18	6,876	1,179	17.1	5,460	875	16.0	310	46	14.8	1,107	258	23.3
One or more own children under 18	202	60	29.7	184	49	26.6	9	6	(B)	9	5	(B)

- Represents zero. B Base less than 75,000.

Table 11. EMPLOYMENT STATUS OF HEAD IN MARCH 1970--FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS BY POVERTY STATUS IN 1969, SEX, AND RACE OF HEAD

(Numbers in thousands. Families and unrelated individuals as of March 1970)

Employment status of head	All races			White			Negro and other races					
							Total			Negro		
	Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level	
		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total
ALL FAMILIES												
Total	51,237	4,950	9.7	46,022	3,555	7.7	5,215	1,395	26.7	4,774	1,326	27.8
Employed	40,294	2,147	5.3	36,571	1,549	4.2	3,724	598	16.1	3,415	575	16.8
Unemployed	1,169	210	17.9	987	128	13.0	182	81	44.7	164	76	46.2
Not in labor force	8,763	2,533	28.9	7,549	1,823	24.1	1,214	710	58.5	1,122	674	60.1
In Armed Forces	1,011	60	6.0	916	55	6.0	95	6	5.9	73	2	(B)
FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD												
Total	45,656	3,146	6.9	41,836	2,490	6.0	3,820	656	17.2	3,425	609	17.8
Employed	37,510	1,628	4.3	34,428	1,246	3.6	3,082	382	12.4	2,785	359	12.9
Unemployed	1,005	126	12.6	880	87	9.8	124	40	32.0	112	35	31.0
Not in labor force	6,131	1,333	21.7	5,613	1,104	19.7	518	229	44.1	454	213	46.9
In Armed Forces	1,011	60	6.0	916	55	6.0	95	6	5.9	73	2	(B)
FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD												
Total	5,581	1,804	32.3	4,186	1,065	25.4	1,395	739	53.0	1,349	718	53.2
Employed	2,784	519	18.6	2,143	303	14.1	641	216	33.7	630	216	34.3
Unemployed	164	83	50.7	106	42	39.2	58	42	(B)	51	41	(B)
Not in labor force	2,632	1,200	45.6	1,936	719	37.1	696	482	69.2	668	461	69.0

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Table 11. EMPLOYMENT STATUS OF HEAD IN MARCH 1970--FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS BY POVERTY STATUS IN 1969, SEX, AND RACE OF HEAD--Continued

(Numbers in thousands. Families and unrelated individuals as of March 1970)

Employment status of head	All races			White			Negro and other races					
							Total			Negro		
	Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level	
		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total
ALL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS												
Total	14,452	4,851	33.6	12,473	3,962	31.8	1,979	889	44.9	1,752	806	46.0
Employed	7,647	1,230	16.1	6,486	948	14.6	1,161	283	24.4	1,027	253	24.7
Unemployed	314	100	31.8	260	69	26.6	54	31	(B)	52	29	(B)
Not in labor force	6,425	3,514	54.7	5,662	2,938	51.9	763	575	75.4	673	524	77.9
In Armed Forces	66	7	(B)	64	7	(B)	1	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
MALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS												
Total	5,441	1,379	25.3	4,473	1,047	23.4	968	332	34.3	813	287	35.2
Employed	3,517	465	13.2	2,888	364	12.6	629	101	16.0	535	87	16.3
Unemployed	177	41	22.9	146	26	18.1	32	14	(B)	30	13	(B)
Not in labor force	1,680	867	51.6	1,374	650	47.3	306	217	70.7	248	187	75.5
In Armed Forces	66	7	(B)	64	7	(B)	1	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
FEMALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS												
Total	9,011	3,472	38.5	8,000	2,915	36.4	1,011	557	55.1	939	520	55.4
Employed	4,130	766	18.5	3,598	584	16.2	532	182	34.2	492	166	33.8
Unemployed	136	59	43.3	114	43	37.4	22	16	(B)	22	16	(B)
Not in labor force	4,745	2,647	55.8	4,288	2,288	53.4	457	359	78.5	425	337	79.4

- Represents zero. B Base less than 75,000.

Table 12. NUMBER OF EARNERS--FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS BY POVERTY STATUS IN 1969, SEX, AND RACE OF HEAD

(Numbers in thousands. Families and unrelated individuals as of March 1970)

Number of earners	All races			White			Negro and other races					
							Total			Negro		
	Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level	
		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total
ALL FAMILIES												
Total	51,237	4,950	9.7	46,022	3,555	7.7	5,215	1,395	26.7	4,774	1,326	27.8
No earners	4,337	1,755	40.5	3,799	1,336	35.2	538	418	77.8	503	395	78.6
1 or more earners	46,900	3,195	6.8	42,223	2,219	5.3	4,677	977	20.9	4,271	931	21.8
1 earner	19,251	2,131	11.1	17,568	1,572	8.9	1,683	559	33.2	1,540	530	34.4
2 or more earners	27,649	1,064	3.8	24,655	647	2.6	2,994	417	13.9	2,732	401	14.7
2 earners	20,125	816	4.1	17,953	522	2.9	2,172	294	13.5	1,990	282	14.2
3 earners	5,204	172	3.3	4,664	99	2.1	540	73	13.5	485	70	14.4
4 or more earners	2,320	76	3.3	2,038	26	1.3	282	51	18.1	257	48	18.7
Head Worked Year Round Full Time												
Total	33,458	1,069	3.2	30,625	771	2.5	2,833	298	10.5	2,569	282	11.0
No earners	4	4	(B)	4	4	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
1 or more earners	33,454	1,065	3.2	30,621	767	2.5	2,833	298	10.5	2,569	282	11.0
1 earner	12,733	646	5.1	11,900	504	4.2	832	142	17.1	758	132	17.4
2 or more earners	20,721	419	2.0	18,721	263	1.4	2,001	156	7.8	1,811	150	8.3
2 earners	14,678	305	2.1	13,225	199	1.5	1,454	106	7.3	1,325	100	7.5
3 or more earners	6,044	114	1.9	5,497	64	1.2	547	50	9.1	486	50	10.3

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Table 12. NUMBER OF EARNERS--FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS BY POVERTY STATUS IN 1969, SEX, AND RACE OF HEAD--Continued

(Numbers in thousands. Families and unrelated individuals as of March 1970)

Number of earners	All races			White			Negro and other races					
							Total			Negro		
	Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level	
		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total
FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD												
Total	45,656	3,146	6.9	41,836	2,490	6.0	3,820	656	17.2	3,425	609	17.8
No earners	3,142	948	30.2	2,940	819	27.9	202	129	63.6	184	121	65.9
1 or more earners	42,515	2,200	5.2	38,898	1,673	4.3	3,617	527	14.6	3,241	488	15.0
1 earner	16,780	1,391	8.3	15,740	1,136	7.2	1,041	255	24.5	909	229	25.3
2 or more earners	25,735	809	3.1	23,159	536	2.3	2,576	272	10.6	2,332	258	11.1
2 earners	18,724	623	3.3	16,832	434	2.6	1,892	189	10.0	1,721	180	10.4
3 or more earners	7,011	185	2.6	6,327	102	1.6	684	83	12.1	611	78	12.8
Head Worked Year Round Full Time												
Total	31,725	926	2.9	29,265	718	2.5	2,460	208	8.5	2,203	193	8.8
No earners	4	4	(B)	4	4	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
1 or more earners	31,721	922	2.9	29,261	714	2.4	2,460	208	8.5	2,203	193	8.8
1 earner	11,897	545	4.6	11,292	461	4.1	604	84	13.9	535	75	14.0
2 or more earners	19,824	377	1.9	17,969	253	1.4	1,856	124	6.7	1,668	118	7.1
2 earners	14,016	278	2.0	12,660	193	1.5	1,357	85	6.3	1,230	79	6.4
3 or more earners	5,808	98	1.7	5,309	60	1.1	499	39	7.8	438	39	8.9
FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD												
Total	5,581	1,804	32.3	4,186	1,065	25.4	1,395	739	53.0	1,349	718	53.2
No earners	1,195	807	67.5	860	517	60.2	336	290	86.3	319	274	86.0
1 or more earners	4,385	996	22.7	3,325	546	16.4	1,060	449	42.4	1,030	443	43.0
1 earner	2,471	740	29.9	1,829	435	23.8	642	304	47.4	631	301	47.7
2 or more earners	1,914	256	13.4	1,496	111	7.4	418	145	34.7	399	143	35.7
2 earners	1,401	193	13.7	1,121	88	7.8	280	105	37.5	269	102	38.1
3 or more earners	512	63	12.3	375	23	6.2	137	40	29.2	131	40	30.7
Head Worked Year Round Full Time												
Total	1,733	143	8.3	1,360	53	3.9	373	90	24.1	366	89	24.3
No earners	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
1 or more earners	1,733	143	8.3	1,360	53	3.9	373	90	24.1	366	89	24.3
1 earner	836	101	12.1	608	43	7.1	228	58	25.4	223	57	25.6
2 or more earners	897	42	4.7	752	10	1.3	145	32	22.1	143	32	22.4
2 earners	662	27	4.1	565	6	1.1	97	21	21.6	95	21	22.1
3 or more earners	236	16	6.8	188	4	2.1	48	11	(B)	48	11	(B)
ALL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS												
Total	14,452	4,851	33.6	12,473	3,962	31.8	1,979	889	44.9	1,752	806	46.0
Earner	8,898	1,570	17.6	7,549	1,193	15.8	1,350	377	27.9	1,191	341	28.7
Nonearner	5,553	3,281	59.1	4,924	2,769	56.2	629	512	81.3	561	465	82.9
Worked Year Round Full Time												
Total	5,071	341	6.7	4,366	269	6.2	705	72	10.2	638	68	10.7
Earner	5,065	338	6.7	4,360	266	6.1	705	72	10.2	638	68	10.7
Nonearner	6	3	(B)	6	3	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
MALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS												
Total	5,441	1,379	25.3	4,473	1,047	23.4	968	332	34.3	813	287	35.3
Earner	4,107	624	15.2	3,363	466	13.9	744	158	21.2	625	138	22.1
Nonearner	1,333	755	56.6	1,109	581	52.4	224	174	77.5	187	149	79.4
Worked Year Round Full Time												
Total	2,415	147	6.1	2,005	111	5.5	410	36	8.8	360	36	10.0
Earner	2,410	144	6.0	2,000	108	5.4	410	36	8.8	360	36	10.0
Nonearner	5	3	(B)	5	3	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
FEMALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS												
Total	9,011	3,472	38.5	8,000	2,915	36.4	1,011	557	55.1	939	520	55.4
Earner	4,791	946	19.7	4,185	727	17.4	606	219	36.2	565	204	36.0
Nonearner	4,220	2,526	59.8	3,815	2,188	57.3	405	338	83.4	374	316	84.6
Worked Year Round Full Time												
Total	2,656	194	7.3	2,361	158	6.7	295	36	12.2	278	32	11.5
Earner	2,655	194	7.3	2,360	158	6.7	295	36	12.2	278	32	11.5
Nonearner	1	-	(B)	1	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-	-	(B)

- Represents zero. B Base less than 75,000.

Table 13. OCCUPATION OF LONGEST JOB OF HEAD--FAMILIES BY POVERTY STATUS IN 1969, SEX, AND RACE OF HEAD, AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS BY POVERTY STATUS IN 1969 AND SEX

(Numbers in thousands. Families and unrelated individuals as of March 1970)

Occupation of longest job of head	All families			Families with male head[1]			Families with female head[1]		
	Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level	
		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total
FAMILIES									
All Races									
Total	51,237	4,950	9.7	45,656	3,146	6.9	5,581	1,804	32.3
Head worked in 1969	43,114	2,702	6.3	39,801	1,931	4.9	3,313	771	23.3
Professional, technical, & kindred wkrs	6,026	111	1.8	5,705	80	1.4	321	31	9.7
Salaried	5,408	88	1.6	5,113	61	1.2	295	27	9.2
Self-employed	618	23	3.7	592	19	3.2	26	4	(B)
Farmers and farm managers	1,613	349	21.6	1,592	346	21.7	21	3	(B)
Managers, officials, & propr's, exc. farm.	6,534	199	3.0	6,369	190	3.0	165	9	5.5
Salaried	4,825	59	1.2	4,698	55	1.2	127	4	3.1
Self-employed	1,709	140	8.2	1,671	135	8.1	38	5	(B)
Clerical and kindred workers	3,578	127	3.5	2,662	39	1.5	916	88	9.6
Secretaries, stenographers, & typists	357	23	6.4	44	-	(B)	313	23	7.3
Other clerical workers	3,221	104	3.2	2,618	39	1.5	603	65	10.8
Sales workers	2,343	88	3.8	2,166	47	2.2	177	41	23.2
In retail trade	920	65	7.1	776	30	3.9	144	35	24.3
Other sales workers	1,423	24	1.7	1,390	19	1.4	33	5	(B)
Craftsmen and foremen	8,948	311	3.5	8,910	307	3.4	38	4	(B)
Foremen	1,312	16	1.2	1,300	16	1.2	12	-	(B)
Craftsmen	7,635	295	3.9	7,608	291	3.8	27	4	(B)
In construction	1,815	89	4.9	1,815	89	4.9	-	-	(B)
Other craftsmen	5,820	206	3.5	5,793	202	3.5	27	4	(B)
Operatives and kindred workers	8,337	499	6.0	7,704	352	4.6	633	147	23.2
Manufacturing	4,743	254	5.4	4,229	151	3.6	514	103	20.0
Durable goods	3,091	118	3.8	2,884	87	3.0	207	31	15.0
Nondurable goods	1,652	136	8.2	1,344	65	4.8	308	71	23.1
Other operatives and kindred workers	3,594	245	6.8	3,475	201	5.8	119	44	37.0
Private household workers	278	153	55.0	20	6	(B)	258	147	57.0
Other service workers	2,810	357	12.7	2,118	113	5.3	692	244	35.3
Nonfarm laborers	2,105	285	13.5	2,072	270	13.0	33	15	(B)
Farm laborers and foremen	543	222	40.9	484	179	37.0	59	43	(B)
Head did not work in 1969	7,112	2,188	30.8	4,845	1,156	23.9	2,267	1,032	45.5
Head in Armed Forces	1,011	60	5.9	1,011	60	5.9	(X)	(X)	(X)
White									
Total	46,022	3,555	7.7	41,836	2,490	6.0	4,186	1,065	25.4
Head worked in 1969	38,943	1,882	4.8	36,476	1,470	4.0	2,467	412	16.7
Professional, technical, & kindred wkrs	5,750	91	1.6	5,469	68	1.3	281	23	8.0
Farmers and farm managers	1,546	310	20.0	1,527	310	20.3	19	-	(B)
Managers, officials, & propr's, exc. farm.	6,341	176	2.8	6,184	167	2.7	157	9	5.8
Clerical and sales workers	5,472	169	3.1	4,522	72	1.6	950	97	10.3
Craftsmen and foremen	8,414	257	3.1	8,384	256	3.1	30	1	(B)
Operatives and kindred workers	7,175	314	4.4	6,731	242	3.6	444	72	16.1
Private household workers	99	47	48.0	13	2	(B)	86	45	52.2
Other service workers	2,178	210	9.7	1,727	72	4.2	451	138	30.6
Nonfarm laborers	1,565	175	11.2	1,547	168	10.9	18	7	(B)
Farm laborers and foremen	404	132	32.6	372	112	30.1	32	20	(B)
Head did not work in 1969	6,163	1,619	26.3	4,445	968	21.8	1,718	651	37.9
Head in Armed Forces	916	55	6.0	916	55	6.0	(X)	(X)	(X)
Negro and Other Races									
Total	5,215	1,395	26.7	3,820	656	17.2	1,395	739	53.0
Head worked in 1969	4,171	820	19.7	3,325	462	13.9	847	359	42.4
Professional, technical, & kindred wkrs	276	20	7.3	236	12	4.9	40	9	(B)
Farmers and farm managers	66	39	(B)	64	36	(B)	3	3	(B)
Managers, officials, & propr's, exc. farm.	192	22	11.6	184	22	12.2	8	-	(B)
Clerical and sales workers	449	46	10.3	306	15	4.9	144	31	21.7
Craftsmen and foremen	534	54	10.1	525	51	9.7	9	3	(B)
Operatives and kindred workers	1,163	186	16.0	974	111	11.4	189	75	39.6
Private household workers	179	106	58.9	8	4	(B)	172	102	59.3
Other service workers	632	147	23.2	391	41	10.5	241	106	43.8
Nonfarm laborers	539	110	20.4	525	102	19.5	14	8	(B)
Farm laborers and foremen	140	91	64.9	113	67	59.7	27	23	(B)
Head did not work in 1969	949	569	60.0	400	188	47.1	549	381	69.3
Head in Armed Forces	95	6	5.9	95	6	5.9	(X)	(X)	(X)

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 13. OCCUPATION OF LONGEST JOB OF HEAD--FAMILIES BY POVERTY STATUS IN 1969, SEX, AND RACE OF HEAD, AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS BY POVERTY STATUS IN 1969 AND SEX--Continued

(Numbers in thousands. Families and unrelated individuals as of March 1970)

Occupation of longest job of head	All families			Families with male head[1]			Families with female head[1]		
	Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level	
		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total
ALL FAMILIES--Continued									
Negro									
Total	4,774	1,326	27.8	3,425	609	17.8	1,349	718	53.2
Head worked in 1969	3,821	785	20.5	2,995	430	14.4	825	355	43.0
Professional, technical, & kindred wkrs.	212	16	7.7	175	8	4.4	37	9	(B)
Farmers and farm managers	59	38	(B)	56	35	(B)	3	3	(B)
Managers, officials,& propr's, exc. farm.	125	14	10.9	117	14	11.6	8	-	(B)
Clerical and sales workers	405	43	10.6	264	13	4.9	141	30	21.4
Craftsmen and foremen	494	49	10.0	485	47	9.6	9	3	(B)
Operatives and kindred workers	1,112	181	16.3	929	107	11.5	183	74	40.5
Private household workers	179	106	58.9	8	4	(B)	172	102	59.3
Other service workers	598	145	24.3	361	41	11.4	237	104	43.8
Nonfarm laborers	519	109	21.0	506	101	20.0	13	8	(B)
Farm laborers and foremen	118	83	70.6	95	60	63.3	23	23	(B)
Head did not work in 1969	881	540	61.3	357	178	49.8	524	362	69.1
Head in Armed Forces	73	2	(B)	73	2	(B)	(X)	(X)	(X)
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
All Races									
Total	14,452	4,851	33.6	5,441	1,379	25.3	9,011	3,472	38.5
Worked in 1969	8,772	1,547	17.6	4,038	619	15.3	4,734	928	19.6
Professional, technical, & kindred wkrs.	1,720	183	10.6	723	59	8.2	997	124	12.4
Farmers and farm managers	136	36	26.5	91	23	25.3	45	13	(B)
Managers, officials,& propr's, exc. farm.	659	81	12.3	405	46	11.4	254	35	13.8
Clerical and sales workers	2,090	223	10.7	567	64	11.3	1,523	159	10.4
Craftsmen and foremen	674	54	8.0	622	49	7.9	52	5	(B)
Operatives and kindred workers	1,224	183	15.0	662	96	14.5	562	87	15.5
Private household workers	466	286	61.4	18	12	(B)	448	274	61.2
Other service workers	1,202	292	24.3	394	85	21.6	808	207	25.6
Nonfarm laborers	406	113	27.8	384	106	27.6	22	7	(B)
Farm laborers and foremen	194	97	50.0	172	80	46.5	22	17	(B)
Did not work in 1969	5,614	3,297	58.7	1,337	753	56.3	4,277	2,544	59.5
In Armed Forces	66	7	(B)	66	7	(B)	(X)	(X)	(X)

- Represents zero. B Base less than 75,000. X Not applicable.

[1] For unrelated individuals, sex of individual.

Table 14. WORK EXPERIENCE OF HEAD--FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS BY POVERTY STATUS IN 1969, SEX, AND RACE OF HEAD

(Numbers in thousands. Families and unrelated individuals as of March 1970)

Work experience of head	All races			White			Negro and other races					
							Total			Negro		
	Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level	
		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total
ALL FAMILIES												
Total	51,237	4,950	9.7	46,022	3,555	7.7	5,215	1,395	26.7	4,774	1,326	27.8
Head worked in 1969	43,114	2,702	6.3	38,943	1,882	4.8	4,171	820	19.7	3,821	785	20.5
Worked at full-time job	40,352	1,995	4.9	36,637	1,422	3.9	3,715	573	15.4	3,396	547	16.1
50 to 52 weeks	33,458	1,069	3.2	30,625	771	2.5	2,833	298	10.5	2,569	282	11.0
40 to 49 weeks	3,483	238	6.8	3,096	164	5.3	387	74	19.1	377	73	19.4
27 to 39 weeks	1,645	221	13.4	1,435	162	11.3	210	59	28.1	189	54	28.6
14 to 26 weeks	1,089	233	21.4	930	165	17.7	158	68	43.0	147	66	44.9
13 weeks or less	677	234	34.6	550	159	28.9	127	74	58.3	115	71	61.7
Worked at part-time job	2,762	707	25.6	2,306	460	19.9	456	247	54.2	424	238	56.1
50 to 52 weeks	1,140	223	19.6	967	140	14.5	173	83	48.0	158	81	51.3
40 to 49 weeks	313	50	16.0	258	24	9.3	55	27	(B)	52	27	(B)
27 to 39 weeks	318	83	26.1	272	65	23.9	46	18	(B)	45	18	(B)
14 to 26 weeks	441	143	32.4	370	94	25.4	71	48	(B)	64	43	(B)
13 weeks or less	551	208	37.7	438	136	31.1	112	71	63.4	106	68	64.2
Head worked 1 to 49 weeks, total	8,516	1,410	16.6	7,350	970	13.2	1,166	440	37.7	1,093	422	38.6
Main reason for working part year:												
Unemployed	2,809	355	12.6	2,427	238	9.8	382	117	30.6	362	116	32.0
Other	5,707	1,055	18.5	4,924	732	14.9	783	323	41.2	731	306	41.8
Head did not work in 1969	7,112	2,188	30.8	6,163	1,619	26.3	949	569	60.0	881	540	61.3
Main reason for not working:												
Ill or disabled	1,912	743	38.9	1,563	542	34.7	349	202	57.8	341	197	57.8
Keeping house	1,587	741	46.7	1,220	473	38.8	368	267	72.7	352	256	72.8
Going to school	110	46	42.0	90	35	39.2	21	11	(B)	16	10	(B)
Unable to find work	68	36	(B)	48	20	(B)	19	16	(B)	19	16	(B)
Other	3,435	622	18.1	3,242	549	16.9	192	73	38.1	153	61	39.7
Head in Armed Forces	1,011	60	6.0	916	55	6.0	95	6	5.9	73	2	(B)
FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD												
Total	45,656	3,146	6.9	41,836	2,490	6.0	3,820	656	17.2	3,425	609	17.8
Head worked in 1969	39,801	1,931	4.9	36,476	1,470	4.0	3,324	461	13.9	2,996	430	14.4
Worked at full-time job	37,733	1,520	4.0	34,638	1,169	3.4	3,095	352	11.4	2,794	327	11.7
50 to 52 weeks	31,725	926	2.9	29,265	718	2.5	2,460	208	8.5	2,203	193	8.8
40 to 49 weeks	3,199	189	5.9	2,889	141	4.9	309	48	15.5	301	47	15.6
27 to 39 weeks	1,454	161	11.1	1,294	124	9.6	160	37	23.1	144	32	22.2
14 to 26 weeks	876	131	15.0	766	95	12.4	109	35	32.1	98	34	34.7
13 weeks or less	479	114	23.8	423	89	21.0	56	23	(B)	48	20	(B)
Worked at part-time job	2,068	411	19.9	1,838	302	16.4	230	110	47.8	201	102	50.7
50 to 52 weeks	875	138	15.8	798	106	13.3	77	33	42.9	62	31	(B)
40 to 49 weeks	243	33	13.6	209	18	8.6	35	16	(B)	33	16	(B)
27 to 39 weeks	247	57	23.1	219	44	20.1	28	12	(B)	27	12	(B)
14 to 26 weeks	337	81	24.0	298	57	19.1	39	24	(B)	34	20	(B)
13 weeks or less	367	102	27.8	314	77	24.5	52	25	(B)	46	22	(B)
Head worked 1 to 49 weeks, total	7,201	868	12.0	6,413	646	10.1	789	221	28.1	730	206	28.2
Main reason for working part year:												
Unemployed	2,597	291	11.2	2,279	209	9.2	318	82	25.8	300	81	26.9
Other	4,604	577	12.5	4,133	438	10.6	471	140	29.6	430	125	29.0
Head did not work in 1969	4,845	1,156	23.9	4,445	967	21.8	400	188	47.1	357	178	49.8
Main reason for not working:												
Ill or disabled	1,492	540	36.2	1,279	423	33.1	214	117	54.7	207	114	54.8
Going to school	82	26	31.7	70	22	(B)	12	4	(B)	7	3	(B)
Unable to find work	34	11	(B)	28	7	(B)	6	4	(B)	6	4	(B)
Other	3,237	579	17.9	3,069	516	16.8	168	64	37.8	137	57	41.6
Head in Armed Forces	1,011	60	6.0	916	55	6.0	95	6	5.9	73	2	(B)

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 14. WORK EXPERIENCE OF HEAD--FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS BY POVERTY STATUS IN 1969, SEX, AND RACE OF HEAD--Continued

(Numbers in thousands. Families and unrelated individuals as of March 1970)

Work experience of head	All races			White			Negro and other races					
							Total			Negro		
	Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level	
		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total
FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD												
Total	5,581	1,804	32.3	4,186	1,065	25.4	1,395	739	53.0	1,349	718	53.2
Head worked in 1969	3,313	771	23.3	2,467	412	16.7	847	359	42.4	825	355	43.0
Worked at full-time job	2,619	475	18.1	1,999	253	12.7	620	221	35.6	602	220	36.5
50 to 52 weeks	1,733	143	8.3	1,360	53	3.9	373	90	24.1	366	89	24.3
40 to 49 weeks	284	49	17.3	207	23	11.1	78	26	33.3	76	26	34.2
27 to 39 weeks	191	60	31.4	141	38	27.0	50	22	(B)	45	22	(B)
14 to 26 weeks	213	102	47.9	164	70	42.7	49	33	(B)	49	32	(B)
13 weeks or less	198	120	60.6	127	70	55.1	71	51	(B)	67	51	(B)
Worked at part-time job	694	296	42.7	468	158	33.8	226	137	60.6	223	136	61.0
50 to 52 weeks	265	85	32.1	169	34	20.1	96	50	52.1	96	50	52.1
40 to 49 weeks	70	17	(B)	49	6	(B)	20	11	(B)	19	11	(B)
27 to 39 weeks	71	26	(B)	53	21	(B)	18	6	(B)	18	6	(B)
14 to 26 weeks	104	62	59.6	72	37	(B)	32	24	(B)	30	23	(B)
13 weeks or less	184	106	57.6	124	59	47.6	60	46	(B)	60	46	(B)
Head worked 1 to 49 weeks, total	1,315	543	41.3	938	324	34.5	377	219	58.0	363	216	59.5
Main reason for working part year:												
Unemployed	212	64	30.3	148	29	19.9	65	35	54.2	62	35	56.8
Other	1,103	478	43.4	790	295	37.3	312	184	58.8	301	181	60.1
Head did not work in 1969	2,267	1,032	45.5	1,718	651	37.9	549	381	69.3	524	362	69.1
Main reason for not working:												
Ill or disabled	419	203	48.5	284	119	41.8	135	85	62.7	134	83	62.3
Keeping house	1,587	741	46.7	1,220	473	38.8	368	267	72.7	352	256	72.8
Going to school	28	20	(B)	20	13	(B)	9	8	(B)	9	8	(B)
Unable to find work	34	25	(B)	20	13	(B)	14	11	(B)	14	11	(B)
Other	198	43	21.6	174	33	19.0	24	10	(B)	16	4	(B)
ALL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS												
Total	14,452	4,851	33.6	12,473	3,962	31.8	1,979	889	44.9	1,752	806	46.0
Worked in 1969	8,772	1,547	17.6	7,420	1,167	15.7	1,351	380	28.1	1,193	344	28.8
Worked at full-time job	7,170	842	11.7	6,136	669	10.9	1,033	173	16.7	929	161	17.3
50 to 52 weeks	5,071	341	6.7	4,366	269	6.2	705	72	10.2	638	68	10.7
40 to 49 weeks	821	68	8.3	689	54	7.8	132	14	10.6	116	14	12.1
27 to 39 weeks	461	71	15.4	388	56	14.4	73	16	(B)	70	16	(B)
14 to 26 weeks	490	158	32.2	413	124	30.0	77	34	44.2	65	29	(B)
13 weeks or less	327	204	62.4	281	166	59.1	46	38	(B)	40	35	(B)
Worked at part-time job	1,602	706	44.1	1,284	498	38.8	318	207	65.1	265	183	69.1
50 to 52 weeks	613	210	34.3	486	127	26.1	128	83	64.8	111	72	64.9
40 to 49 weeks	214	74	34.6	184	56	30.4	30	18	(B)	30	18	(B)
27 to 39 weeks	202	78	38.6	176	59	33.5	27	19	(B)	20	15	(B)
14 to 26 weeks	266	134	50.4	206	103	50.0	60	31	(B)	47	30	(B)
13 weeks or less	306	209	68.3	233	153	65.7	74	57	(B)	57	48	(B)
Did not work in 1969	5,614	3,291	58.6	4,988	2,782	55.8	626	509	81.3	558	462	82.8
Main reason for not working:												
Ill or disabled	1,507	1,043	69.2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Keeping house	1,955	1,153	59.0	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Going to school	170	151	88.8	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Could not find work	51	37	(B)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Other	1,930	907	47.0	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
In Armed Forces	66	7	(B)	64	7	(B)	1	-	(B)	-	-	(B)

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 14. WORK EXPERIENCE OF HEAD--FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS BY POVERTY STATUS IN 1969, SEX, AND RACE OF HEAD--Continued

(Numbers in thousands. Families and unrelated individuals as of March 1970)

Work experience of head	All races			White			Negro and other races					
							Total			Negro		
	Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level	
		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total
MALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS												
Total	5,441	1,379	25.3	4,473	1,042	23.4	968	332	34.3	813	287	35.2
Worked in 1969	4,038	619	15.3	3,292	458	13.9	746	161	21.6	629	141	22.4
Worked at full-time job	3,418	345	10.1	2,809	256	9.1	608	89	14.6	534	84	15.7
50 to 52 weeks	2,415	147	6.1	2,005	111	5.5	410	36	8.8	360	36	10.0
40 to 49 weeks	407	19	4.7	324	16	4.9	83	3	3.6	71	3	(B)
27 to 39 weeks	242	32	13.2	201	26	12.9	40	7	(B)	37	7	(B)
14 to 26 weeks	208	56	26.9	166	38	22.9	42	18	(B)	38	16	(B)
13 weeks or less	146	91	62.3	113	66	58.4	33	25	(B)	28	23	(B)
Worked at part-time job	621	275	44.3	483	202	41.8	138	73	52.9	96	57	59.4
50 to 52 weeks	206	67	32.5	167	50	29.9	40	16	(B)	30	13	(B)
40 to 49 weeks	82	29	35.4	71	21	(B)	11	7	(B)	11	7	(B)
27 to 39 weeks	77	25	32.5	67	18	(B)	11	7	(B)	6	3	(B)
14 to 26 weeks	122	53	43.4	81	37	45.7	41	16	(B)	29	16	(B)
13 weeks or less	134	101	75.4	98	75	76.5	36	27	(B)	19	18	(B)
Did not work in 1969	1,336	747	55.9	1,116	577	51.7	220	170	77.3	184	145	78.8
Main reason for not working:												
Ill or disabled	441	305	69.2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Going to school	64	58	(B)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Could not find work	24	12	(B)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Other	807	372	46.1	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
In Armed Forces	66	7	(B)	64	7	(B)	1	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
FEMALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS												
Total	9,011	3,472	38.5	8,000	2,915	36.4	1,011	557	55.1	939	520	55.4
Worked in 1969	4,734	928	19.6	4,128	709	17.2	605	219	36.2	564	203	36.0
Worked at full-time job	3,752	497	13.2	3,327	413	12.4	425	84	19.8	395	77	19.5
50 to 52 weeks	2,656	194	7.3	2,361	158	6.7	295	36	12.2	278	32	11.5
40 to 49 weeks	414	49	11.8	365	38	10.4	49	11	(B)	45	11	(B)
27 to 39 weeks	219	39	17.8	187	30	16.0	33	9	(B)	33	9	(B)
14 to 26 weeks	282	102	36.2	247	86	34.8	35	16	(B)	27	13	(B)
13 weeks or less	181	113	62.4	168	100	59.5	13	13	(B)	12	12	(B)
Worked at part-time job	981	431	43.9	801	296	37.0	180	134	74.4	169	126	74.6
50 to 52 weeks	407	143	35.1	319	77	24.1	88	67	76.1	81	59	72.8
40 to 49 weeks	132	45	34.1	113	35	31.0	19	11	(B)	19	11	(B)
27 to 39 weeks	125	53	42.4	109	41	37.6	16	12	(B)	14	12	(B)
14 to 26 weeks	144	81	56.3	125	66	52.8	19	15	(B)	18	14	(B)
13 weeks or less	172	108	62.8	135	78	57.8	38	30	(B)	38	30	(B)
Did not work in 1969	4,278	2,544	59.5	3,872	2,205	56.9	406	339	83.5	374	317	84.8
Main reason for not working:												
Ill or disabled	1,066	738	69.2	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Keeping house	1,955	1,153	59.0	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Going to school	106	93	87.7	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Could not find work	27	25	(B)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
All other reasons	1,123	535	47.6	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

- Represents zero. B Base less than 75,000. NA Not available.

Table 15. WORK EXPERIENCE OF HEADS 25 TO 64 YEARS OLD--FAMILIES BY POVERTY STATUS IN 1969, SEX, AND RACE OF HEAD

(Numbers in thousands. Families as of March 1970)

Work experience of head	All races			White			Negro and other races					
							Total			Negro		
	Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level	
		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total
ALL FAMILIES												
Total	40,635	3,180	7.8	36,451	2,167	5.9	4,184	1,012	24.2	3,825	964	25.2
Head worked in 1969	37,540	2,111	5.6	33,939	1,436	4.2	3,601	675	18.7	3,290	642	19.5
50 to 52 weeks	31,290	1,084	3.5	28,609	751	2.6	2,681	334	12.4	2,427	317	13.0
Full time	30,736	941	3.1	28,181	671	2.4	2,555	269	10.5	2,306	254	11.0
1 to 49 weeks	6,250	1,026	16.4	5,330	685	12.8	920	342	37.1	863	326	37.8
Main reason for working part year:												
Unemployed	2,352	294	12.5	2,037	192	9.4	315	102	32.3	298	101	33.8
Other	3,898	733	18.8	3,293	493	15.0	605	240	39.6	565	225	39.8
Head did not work in 1969	2,393	1,037	43.3	1,885	705	37.4	508	332	65.4	481	320	66.6
Main reason for not working:												
Ill or disabled	942	390	41.3	753	275	36.5	190	115	60.4	184	112	60.6
Keeping house	933	524	56.1	664	330	49.6	269	194	72.2	257	187	72.8
Going to school	61	19	(B)	50	14	(B)	11	5	(B)	8	5	(B)
Unable to find work	46	24	(B)	35	16	(B)	11	8	(B)	11	8	(B)
Other	411	81	19.7	383	70	18.3	28	11	(B)	20	8	(B)
Head in Armed Forces	702	32	4.5	627	27	4.3	74	4	(B)	54	2	(B)
FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD												
Total	36,608	1,903	5.2	33,500	1,439	4.3	3,107	465	15.0	2,780	429	15.4
Head worked in 1969	34,693	1,495	4.3	31,811	1,115	3.5	2,883	380	13.2	2,588	349	13.5
50 to 52 weeks	29,483	875	3.0	27,232	674	2.5	2,251	201	8.9	2,005	185	9.2
Full time	29,152	806	2.8	26,944	625	2.3	2,208	182	8.2	1,966	167	8.5
1 to 49 weeks	5,210	620	11.9	4,578	441	9.6	632	179	28.3	583	164	28.1
Main reason for working part year:												
Unemployed	2,166	243	11.2	1,904	170	8.9	262	73	27.8	248	72	29.0
Other	3,044	378	12.4	2,674	272	10.2	369	106	28.6	335	92	27.4
Head did not work in 1969	1,213	376	31.0	1,062	296	27.9	151	80	53.3	138	79	56.9
Main reason for not working:												
Ill or disabled	762	285	37.4	643	216	33.6	119	69	58.1	115	68	58.8
Going to school	48	12	(B)	41	10	(B)	7	1	(B)	4	1	(B)
Unable to find work	22	9	(B)	19	7	(B)	3	3	(B)	3	3	(B)
Other	382	70	18.5	360	63	17.6	22	7	(B)	17	7	(B)
Head in Armed Forces	702	32	4.5	627	27	4.3	74	4	(B)	54	2	(B)
FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD												
Total	4,027	1,276	31.7	2,951	729	24.7	1,076	547	50.8	1,045	535	51.2
Head worked in 1969	2,847	616	21.6	2,128	320	15.1	719	295	41.1	703	293	41.7
50 to 52 weeks	1,807	209	11.6	1,377	77	5.6	430	132	30.7	423	131	31.0
Full time	1,584	135	8.5	1,237	47	3.8	347	88	25.3	340	87	25.6
1 to 49 weeks	1,040	406	39.1	752	243	32.4	289	163	56.4	280	162	57.9
Main reason for working part year:												
Unemployed	186	51	27.4	133	22	16.7	53	29	(B)	50	29	(B)
Other	854	355	41.6	618	221	35.8	236	134	56.9	230	133	58.0
Head did not work in 1969	1,180	661	56.0	823	409	49.7	358	252	70.5	342	242	70.6
Main reason for not working:												
Ill or disabled	181	104	57.8	110	59	53.6	70	45	(B)	69	44	(B)
Keeping house	933	524	56.1	664	330	49.6	269	194	72.2	257	187	72.8
Going to school	14	7	(B)	9	4	(B)	4	3	(B)	4	3	(B)
Unable to find work	24	15	(B)	16	9	(B)	8	6	(B)	8	6	(B)
Other	29	11	(B)	23	7	(B)	6	4	(B)	4	1	(B)

B Base less than 75,000.

Table 16. FAMILY MEMBERS BY WORK EXPERIENCE OF HEAD--PERSONS IN FAMILIES BY POVERTY STATUS IN 1969 AND SEX AND RACE OF HEAD

(Numbers in thousands. Persons in families as of March 1970)

Work experience of head	All races			White			Negro and other races					
							Total			Negro		
	Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level	
		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total
ALL PERSONS IN FAMILIES												
Total	185,397	19,438	10.5	162,888	12,709	7.8	22,509	6,729	29.9	20,570	6,409	31.2
Head worked in 1969	161,611	12,069	7.5	143,228	7,703	5.4	18,383	4,367	23.8	16,774	4,178	24.9
50 to 52 weeks	131,918	6,126	4.6	118,638	3,917	3.3	13,280	2,209	16.6	12,021	2,107	17.5
Full time	128,522	5,256	4.1	115,952	3,427	3.0	12,570	1,829	14.6	11,354	1,730	15.2
1 to 49 weeks	29,693	5,943	20.0	24,590	3,785	15.4	5,103	2,158	42.3	4,753	2,072	43.6
Main reason for working part year:												
Unemployed	10,736	1,716	16.0	9,077	1,140	12.6	1,658	576	34.8	1,568	569	36.3
Other	18,957	4,227	22.3	15,512	2,646	17.1	3,445	1,582	45.9	3,186	1,503	47.2
Head did not work in 1969	20,060	7,092	35.4	16,323	4,766	29.2	3,737	2,326	62.2	3,531	2,222	62.9
Main reason for not working:												
Ill or disabled	5,825	2,456	42.2	4,545	1,707	37.6	1,280	748	58.5	1,248	726	58.2
Keeping house	5,566	2,899	52.1	3,838	1,631	42.5	1,728	1,269	73.4	1,664	1,217	73.1
Going to school	327	136	41.6	246	99	40.3	81	37	45.5	69	35	(B)
Unable to find work	222	136	61.2	138	61	44.5	84	75	88.5	84	75	88.5
Other	8,120	1,465	18.0	7,557	1,268	16.8	563	198	35.1	467	170	36.4
Head in Armed Forces	3,725	276	7.4	3,336	239	7.2	389	37	9.4	264	9	3.3
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD												
Total	167,051	12,440	7.4	150,412	9,109	6.1	16,639	3,331	20.0	14,879	3,093	20.8
Head worked in 1969	150,796	8,887	5.9	135,939	6,247	4.6	14,857	2,640	17.8	13,343	2,466	18.5
50 to 52 weeks	125,760	5,104	4.1	114,324	3,604	3.2	11,436	1,500	13.1	10,198	1,402	13.7
Full time	123,249	4,587	3.7	112,124	3,236	2.9	11,125	1,351	12.1	9,930	1,256	12.6
1 to 49 weeks	25,036	3,783	15.1	21,615	2,643	12.2	3,421	1,140	33.3	3,146	1,064	33.8
Main reason for working part year:												
Unemployed	9,982	1,456	14.6	8,605	1,040	12.1	1,377	416	30.2	1,302	409	31.4
Other	15,054	2,327	15.5	13,010	1,603	12.3	2,044	724	35.4	1,843	656	35.6
Head did not work in 1969	12,533	3,280	26.2	11,141	2,626	23.6	1,392	655	47.0	1,272	617	48.5
Main reason for not working:												
Ill or disabled	4,593	1,804	39.3	3,766	1,356	36.0	827	449	54.2	801	432	53.9
Going to school	231	71	30.5	180	58	32.0	51	13	(B)	39	11	(B)
Unable to find work	100	41	41.3	78	22	28.4	21	19	(B)	21	19	(B)
Other	7,609	1,364	17.9	7,117	1,190	16.7	493	174	35.4	411	155	37.8
Head in Armed Forces	3,725	276	7.4	3,336	239	7.2	389	37	9.4	264	9	3.3
PERSONS IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD												
Total	18,346	6,998	38.1	12,476	3,600	28.9	5,870	3,398	57.9	5,691	3,317	58.3
Head worked in 1969	10,814	3,182	29.4	7,289	1,456	20.0	3,526	1,726	49.0	3,431	1,712	49.9
50 to 52 weeks	6,157	1,022	16.6	4,314	313	7.3	1,844	709	38.4	1,823	705	38.6
Full time	5,272	669	12.7	3,828	191	5.0	1,444	478	33.1	1,424	474	33.3
1 to 49 weeks	4,657	2,160	46.4	2,975	1,143	38.4	1,682	1,018	60.5	1,608	1,007	62.7
Main reason for working part year:												
Unemployed	753	260	34.5	472	100	21.1	281	160	56.9	266	160	60.2
Other	3,903	1,900	48.7	2,503	1,043	41.7	1,401	858	61.2	1,342	847	63.1
Head did not work in 1969	7,527	3,812	50.6	5,183	2,140	41.3	2,344	1,671	71.3	2,259	1,605	71.0
Main reason for not working:												
Ill or disabled	1,232	651	52.9	779	352	45.2	452	300	66.2	447	294	65.8
Keeping house	5,566	2,899	52.1	3,838	1,631	42.5	1,728	1,269	73.4	1,664	1,217	73.1
Going to school	95	65	68.6	65	41	(B)	30	24	(B)	30	24	(B)
Unable to find work	123	95	77.4	60	39	(B)	63	56	(B)	63	56	(B)
Other	511	101	19.8	440	78	17.6	71	23	(B)	56	14	(B)

B Base less than 75,000.

Table 17. CHILDREN BY WORK EXPERIENCE OF HEAD--OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 AND UNDER 6 YEARS OLD BY POVERTY STATUS IN 1969 AND SEX AND RACE OF FAMILY HEAD

(Numbers in thousands. Children as of March 1970)

Work experience of head	All races			White			Negro and other races					
							Total			Negro		
	Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level	
		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total
OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18												
Total	66,714	8,943	13.4	57,446	5,490	9.6	9,268	3,453	37.3	8,462	3,295	38.9
Head worked in 1969	61,345	6,224	10.1	53,576	3,845	7.2	7,770	2,379	30.6	7,097	2,288	32.2
50 to 52 weeks	50,759	3,071	6.0	45,224	1,892	4.2	5,535	1,179	21.3	4,993	1,124	22.5
Full time	50.010	2,726	5.5	44,716	1,716	3.8	5,294	1,009	19.1	4,759	955	20.1
1 to 49 weeks	10,586	3,154	29.8	8,352	1,953	23.4	2,234	1,200	53.7	2,104	1,164	55.3
Main reason for working part year:												
Unemployed	4,366	944	21.6	3,632	639	17.6	734	305	41.6	699	300	42.9
Other	6,221	2,210	35.5	4,720	1,315	27.9	1,501	895	59.6	1,405	864	61.5
Head did not work in 1969	3,734	2,570	68.8	2,423	1,521	62.8	1,311	1,050	80.0	1,253	1,001	79.9
Main reason for not working:												
Ill or disabled	1.063	690	64.9	807	496	61.4	256	194	75.8	243	182	74.9
Keeping house	2,215	1,656	74.8	1,276	880	69.0	939	776	82.6	900	740	82.2
Going to school	107	45	41.8	75	35	46.0	32	10	(B)	29	10	(B)
Unable to find work	90	78	86.8	35	25	(B)	55	53	(B)	55	53	(B)
Other	259	101	39.1	230	85	37.0	29	16	(B)	25	16	(B)
Head in Armed Forces	1,635	149	9.1	1,447	124	8.6	188	24	13.0	112	6	5.1
OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 IN FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD												
Total	59,819	5,095	8.5	53,262	3,551	6.7	6,557	1,544	23.5	5,817	1,429	24.6
Head worked in 1969	56,983	4,291	7.5	50,846	2,924	5.8	6,137	1,367	22.3	5,487	1,279	23.3
50 to 52 weeks	48,616	2,502	5.1	43,876	1,709	3.9	4,740	793	16.7	4,207	741	17.6
Full time	48,204	2,363	4.9	43,541	1,611	3.7	4,663	753	16.1	4,138	701	16.9
1 to 49 weeks	8,366	1,790	21.4	6,970	1,216	17.4	1,397	574	41.1	1,281	537	42.0
Main reason for working part year:												
Unemployed	4,029	792	19.7	3,440	579	16.8	588	214	36.3	561	208	37.1
Other	4,338	997	23.0	3,530	637	18.0	808	360	44.6	719	329	45.8
Head did not work in 1969	1,201	655	54.5	969	502	51.8	233	153	65.7	217	145	66.6
Main reason for not working:												
Ill or disabled	873	527	60.4	701	403	57.5	172	125	72.4	163	117	71.4
Going to school	67	22	(B)	41	17	(B)	26	5	(B)	24	5	(B)
Unable to find work	19	18	(B)	9	7	(B)	10	10	(B)	10	10	(B)
Other	242	87	36.1	217	75	34.4	24	13	(B)	20	13	(B)
Head in Armed Forces	1,635	149	9.1	1,447	124	8.6	188	24	13.0	112	6	5.1
OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD												
Total	6,895	3.849	55.8	4,184	1,940	46.4	2,712	1,909	70.4	2,645	1,865	70.5
Head worked in 1969	4,363	1,933	44.3	2,730	921	33.7	1,633	1,012	62.0	1,609	1,009	62.7
50 to 52 weeks	2,143	569	26.5	1,348	183	13.6	795	386	48.5	786	383	48.7
Full time	1,805	362	20.1	1,175	106	9.0	631	257	40.7	621	253	40.8
1 to 49 weeks	2,220	1,364	61.4	1,382	738	53.4	838	626	74.8	824	626	76.0
Main reason for working part year:												
Unemployed	337	151	45.0	192	60	31.2	145	92	63.1	138	92	66.5
Other	1,883	1,213	64.4	1,190	678	56.9	693	535	77.2	686	535	77.9
Head did not work in 1969	2,533	1,916	75.6	1,454	1,019	70.1	1,079	897	83.1	1,035	856	82.7
Main reason for not working:												
Ill or disabled	190	163	85.6	106	93	87.8	84	70	82.8	80	65	81.9
Keeping house	2,215	1,656	74.8	1,276	880	69.0	939	776	82.6	900	740	82.2
Going to school	39	23	(B)	34	18	(B)	6	5	(B)	6	5	(B)
Unable to find work	71	60	(B)	26	18	(B)	45	42	(B)	45	42	(B)
Other	17	14	(B)	13	10	(B)	5	4	(B)	5	4	(B)

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Table 17. CHILDREN BY WORK EXPERIENCE OF HEAD--OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 AND UNDER 6 YEARS OLD BY POVERTY STATUS IN 1969 AND SEX AND RACE OF FAMILY HEAD--Continued

(Numbers in thousands. Children as of March 1970)

Work experience of head	All races			White			Negro and other races					
							Total			Negro		
	Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level	
		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total
OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6												
Total	20,266	2,921	14.4	17,257	1,767	10.2	3,009	1,154	38.3	2,724	1,097	40.3
Head worked in 1969	18,504	2,035	11.0	16,018	1,248	7.8	2,485	787	31.7	2,257	752	33.3
50 to 52 weeks	15,026	889	5.9	13,332	559	4.2	1,694	329	19.5	1,517	313	20.6
Full time	14,832	823	5.5	13,188	523	4.0	1,644	300	18.2	1,473	284	19.3
1 to 49 weeks	3,478	1,146	33.0	2,686	689	25.6	792	458	57.8	740	439	59.3
Main reason for working part year:												
Unemployed	1,512	386	25.5	1,251	267	21.3	261	119	45.6	246	115	46.6
Other	1,966	760	38.7	1,435	422	29.4	531	339	63.8	494	324	65.6
Head did not work in 1969	1,022	818	80.0	608	457	75.3	415	361	86.9	395	344	87.0
Main reason for not working:												
Ill or disabled	154	127	82.4	115	94	81.9	39	33	(B)	38	31	(B)
Keeping house	729	616	84.5	394	317	80.6	336	299	89.0	319	284	88.9
Going to school	41	19	(B)	28	13	(B)	13	6	(B)	12	6	(B)
Unable to find work	29	28	(B)	8	8	(B)	22	20	(B)	22	20	(B)
Other	68	28	(B)	64	25	(B)	5	3	(B)	5	3	(B)
Head in Armed Forces	739	68	9.2	630	62	9.8	109	6	5.5	72	1	(B)
OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 IN FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD												
Total	18,564	1,713	9.2	16,333	1,169	7.2	2,231	544	24.4	1,967	504	25.6
Head worked in 1969	17,588	1,491	8.5	15,520	996	6.4	2,068	496	24.0	1,844	462	25.0
50 to 52 weeks	14,702	784	5.3	13,152	525	4.0	1,550	259	16.7	1,375	243	17.7
Full time	14,551	746	5.1	13,025	497	3.8	1,526	249	16.3	1,357	234	17.2
1 to 49 weeks	2,886	708	24.5	2,368	471	19.9	518	237	45.8	469	218	46.6
Main reason for working part year:												
Unemployed	1,438	338	23.5	1,222	247	20.2	216	91	42.3	200	87	43.4
Other	1,448	370	25.5	1,146	224	19.5	303	146	48.2	268	131	49.0
Head did not work in 1969	236	154	65.0	182	111	60.9	54	43	(B)	51	41	(B)
Main reason for not working:												
Ill or disabled	129	105	81.0	99	78	79.0	30	27	(B)	29	25	(B)
Going to school	29	11	(B)	19	7	(B)	11	4	(B)	9	4	(B)
Unable to find work	12	12	(B)	3	3	(B)	9	9	(B)	9	9	(B)
Other	66	26	(B)	62	24	(B)	4	3	(B)	4	3	(B)
Head in Armed Forces	739	68	9.2	630	62	9.8	109	6	5.5	72	1	(B)
OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 IN FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD												
Total	1,702	1,208	71.0	924	598	64.8	778	609	78.3	757	593	78.4
Head worked in 1969	916	543	59.3	498	252	50.6	417	291	69.8	413	290	70.3
50 to 52 weeks	324	105	32.4	180	34	19.0	144	71	49.2	142	70	49.2
Full time	281	77	27.4	163	26	16.1	118	51	42.9	116	50	42.8
1 to 49 weeks	592	438	74.0	318	218	68.4	274	221	80.6	271	221	81.3
Main reason for working part year:												
Unemployed	75	48	64.0	29	20	(B)	46	28	(B)	46	28	(B)
Other	517	391	75.5	289	198	68.3	228	193	84.6	226	193	85.4
Head did not work in 1969	786	664	84.5	426	346	81.4	361	318	88.2	344	303	88.0
Main reason for not working:												
Ill or disabled	25	22	(B)	16	16	(B)	9	6	(B)	9	6	(B)
Keeping house	729	616	84.5	394	317	80.6	336	299	89.0	319	284	88.9
Going to school	12	8	(B)	9	7	(B)	3	2	(B)	3	2	(B)
Unable to find work	18	16	(B)	5	5	(B)	12	11	(B)	12	11	(B)
Other	2	1	(B)	1	1	(B)	1	-	(B)	1	-	(B)

- Represents zero. B Base less than 75,000.

Table 18.--EDUCATION OF FAMILY HEAD--FAMILIES WITH HEAD 25 YEARS OLD AND OVER BY POVERTY STATUS IN 1969, YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED, AGE, SEX, AND RACE OF HEAD

(Numbers in thousands. Families as of March 1970)

Years of school completed and age of head	All families			Families with male head			Families with female head		
	Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level	
		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total
ALL RACES									
Head 25 Years and Over									
Total	47,713	4,418	9.3	42,570	2,879	6.8	5,143	1,539	29.9
Elementary school, total	12,840	2,371	18.5	11,109	1,723	15.5	1,731	648	37.4
Less than 8 years[1]	6,693	1,685	25.2	5,633	1,225	21.7	1,060	460	43.4
8 years	6,147	686	11.2	5,476	498	9.1	671	188	28.0
High school, total	23,162	1,687	7.3	20,443	898	4.4	2,719	789	29.0
1 to 3 years	8,104	871	10.7	6,998	429	6.1	1,106	442	40.0
4 years	15,058	816	5.4	13,444	469	3.5	1,614	347	21.5
College, total	11,711	360	3.1	11,018	257	2.3	693	103	14.9
1 to 3 years	5,220	228	4.4	4,803	155	3.2	417	73	17.5
4 years or more	6,491	132	2.0	6,215	102	1.6	276	30	10.9
Median years of school completed	12.2	8.8	(X)	12.2	8.4	(X)	11.3	9.8	(X)
Head worked year round full time									
Total	31,724	1,000	3.2	30,085	862	2.9	1,639	138	8.4
Elementary school, total	5,988	484	8.1	5,703	435	7.6	285	49	17.2
Less than 8 years[1]	2,736	317	11.6	2,590	280	10.8	146	37	25.3
8 years	3,252	167	5.1	3,114	155	5.0	138	12	8.7
High school, total	16,585	413	2.5	15,565	334	2.1	1,020	79	7.7
1 to 3 years	5,150	163	3.2	4,849	119	2.5	301	44	14.6
4 years	11,436	250	2.2	10,718	215	2.0	718	35	4.9
College, total	9,151	103	1.1	8.816	93	1.1	335	10	3.0
1 to 3 years	4,017	60	1.5	3,830	50	1.3	187	10	5.3
4 years or more	5,135	43	0.8	4,988	43	0.9	147	-	-
Median years of school completed	12.4	9.3	(X)	12.4	9.0	(X)	12.3	10.4	(X)
Head 25 to 34 Years									
Total	10,608	949	8.9	9,688	474	4.9	920	475	51.6
Elementary school, total	980	244	24.9	872	170	19.5	108	74	68.5
Less than 8 years[1]	487	173	35.5	422	126	29.9	65	47	(B)
8 years	493	71	14.4	450	44	9.8	43	27	(B)
High school, total	6,139	605	9.9	5,456	244	4.5	683	361	52.9
1 to 3 years	1,781	315	17.7	1,478	108	7.3	303	207	68.3
4 years	4,358	290	6.7	3,977	136	3.4	381	154	40.4
College, total	3,489	99	2.8	3,361	59	1.8	128	40	31.3
1 to 3 years	1,564	67	4.3	1,473	35	2.4	91	32	35.2
4 years or more	1,926	32	1.7	1,889	24	1.3	37	8	(B)
Median years of school completed	12.6	11.2	(X)	12.6	10.8	(X)	12.1	11.4	(X)
Head worked year round full time									
Total	7,947	260	3.3	7,634	211	2.8	313	49	15.7
Elementary school, total	640	81	12.7	620	75	12.1	20	6	(B)
Less than 8 years[1]	298	57	19.1	284	51	18.0	14	6	(B)
8 years	342	23	6.7	337	23	6.8	5	-	(B)
High school, total	4,593	156	3.4	4,364	117	2.7	229	39	17.0
1 to 3 years	1,152	62	5.4	1,085	40	3.7	67	22	(B)
4 years	3,441	94	2.7	3,279	77	2.3	162	17	10.5
College, total	2,713	23	0.8	2,648	19	0.7	65	4	(B)
1 to 3 years	1,243	14	1.1	1,197	10	0.8	46	4	(B)
4 years or more	1,470	9	0.6	1,452	9	0.6	18	-	(B)
Median years of school completed	12.6	11.4	(X)	12.6	11.3	(X)	12.4	(B)	(X)

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Table 18.--EDUCATION OF FAMILY HEAD--FAMILIES WITH HEAD 25 YEARS OLD AND OVER BY POVERTY STATUS IN 1969, YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED, AGE, SEX, AND RACE OF HEAD--Continued

(Numbers in thousands. Families as of March 1970)

Years of school completed and age of head	All families			Families with male head			Families with female head		
	Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level	
		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total
ALL RACES--Continued									
Head 35 to 44 Years									
Total	10,884	870	8.0	9,809	491	5.0	1,075	379	35.3
Elementary school, total	1,970	392	19.9	1,732	270	15.6	238	122	51.3
Less than 8 years[1]	1,008	259	25.7	860	174	20.2	148	85	57.4
8 years	961	132	13.7	871	96	11.0	90	36	40.0
High school, total	5,811	408	7.0	5,127	175	3.4	684	233	34.1
1 to 3 years	1,899	211	11.1	1,626	80	4.9	273	131	48.0
4 years	3,912	198	5.1	3,500	96	2.7	412	102	24.8
College, total	3,103	70	2.3	2,951	45	1.5	152	25	16.4
1 to 3 years	1,305	51	3.9	1,204	33	2.7	101	18	17.8
4 years or more	1,798	18	1.0	1,747	11	0.6	51	7	(B)
Median years of school completed	12.4	9.6	(X)	12.4	8.7	(X)	12.1	10.6	(X)
Head worked year round full time									
Total	8,677	286	3.3	8,234	248	3.0	443	38	8.6
Elementary school, total	1,376	160	11.6	1,305	145	11.1	71	15	(B)
Less than 8 years[1]	671	104	15.5	631	93	14.7	40	11	(B)
8 years	705	55	7.8	674	51	7.6	31	4	(B)
High school, total	4,562	98	2.1	4,270	75	1.8	292	23	7.9
1 to 3 years	1,395	33	2.4	1,304	21	1.6	91	12	13.2
4 years	3,167	65	2.1	2,965	54	1.8	202	11	5.4
College, total	2,740	29	1.1	2,660	28	1.1	80	1	1.3
1 to 3 years	1,128	21	1.9	1,082	20	1.8	46	1	(B)
4 years or more	1,612	8	0.5	1,577	8	0.5	35	-	(B)
Median years of school completed	12.5	8.7	(X)	12.5	8.6	(X)	12.3	(B)	(X)
Head 45 to 54 Years									
Total	10,829	703	6.5	9,714	454	4.7	1,115	249	22.3
Elementary school, total	2,529	368	14.6	2,226	241	10.8	303	127	41.9
Less than 8 years[1]	1,215	256	21.1	1,044	170	16.3	171	86	50.3
8 years	1,314	112	8.5	1,182	71	6.0	132	41	31.1
High school, total	5,709	275	4.8	5,063	168	3.3	646	107	16.6
1 to 3 years	1,979	140	7.1	1,746	81	4.6	233	59	25.3
4 years	3,730	135	3.6	3,318	87	2.6	412	48	11.7
College, total	2,591	60	2.3	2,424	45	1.9	167	15	9.0
1 to 3 years	1,221	25	2.0	1,128	15	1.3	93	10	10.8
4 years or more	1,370	34	2.5	1,296	28	2.2	74	6	(B)
Median years of school completed	12.2	8.9	(X)	12.3	8.8	(X)	12.1	8.9	(X)
Head worked year round full time									
Total	8,480	246	2.9	7,996	217	2.7	484	29	6.0
Elementary school, total	1,712	126	7.4	1,633	112	6.9	79	14	17.7
Less than 8 years[1]	737	79	10.7	702	71	10.1	35	8	(B)
8 years	975	47	4.8	930	41	4.4	45	6	(B)
High school, total	4,527	98	2.2	4,217	85	2.0	310	13	4.2
1 to 3 years	1,452	41	2.8	1,370	35	2.6	82	6	7.3
4 years	3,074	56	1.8	2,846	50	1.8	228	6	2.6
College, total	2,241	22	1.0	2,146	21	1.0	95	1	1.1
1 to 3 years	1,026	5	0.5	982	4	0.4	44	1	(B)
4 years or more	1,215	16	1.3	1,164	16	1.4	51	-	(B)
Median years of school completed	12.3	8.9	(X)	12.3	8.9	(X)	12.4	(B)	(X)

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 18.--EDUCATION OF FAMILY HEAD--FAMILIES WITH HEAD 25 YEARS OLD AND OVER BY POVERTY STATUS IN 1969, YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED, AGE, SEX, AND RACE OF HEAD--Continued

(Numbers in thousands. Families as of March 1970)

Years of school completed and age of head	All families			Families with male head			Families with female head		
	Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level	
		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total
ALL RACES--Continued									
Head 55 to 64 Years									
Total	8,314	658	7.9	7,397	484	6.5	917	174	19.0
Elementary school, total	3,201	437	13.7	2,810	323	11.5	391	114	29.2
Less than 8 years[1]	1,628	322	19.8	1,397	239	17.1	231	83	35.9
8 years	1,572	116	7.4	1,413	84	5.9	159	32	20.1
High school, total	3,544	174	4.9	3,158	129	4.1	386	45	11.7
1 to 3 years	1,478	85	5.8	1,319	60	4.5	159	25	15.7
4 years	2,066	89	4.3	1,840	68	3.7	226	21	9.3
College, total	1,569	47	3.0	1,428	33	2.3	141	14	9.9
1 to 3 years	712	30	4.2	645	22	3.4	67	8	(B)
4 years or more	857	16	1.9	783	10	1.3	74	6	(B)
Median years of school completed	10.9	8.1	(X)	11.0	8.0	(X)	10.3	8.1	(X)
Head worked year round full time									
Total	5,633	149	2.6	5,290	131	2.5	343	18	5.2
Elementary school, total	1,836	89	4.8	1,741	77	4.4	95	12	12.6
Less than 8 years[1]	840	57	6.8	793	47	5.9	47	10	(B)
8 years	996	32	3.2	948	31	3.3	48	1	(B)
High school, total	2,574	44	1.7	2,408	40	1.7	166	4	2.4
1 to 3 years	1,003	20	2.0	950	17	1.8	53	3	(B)
4 years	1,571	25	1.6	1,458	24	1.6	113	1	0.9
College, total	1,223	15	1.2	1,141	12	1.1	82	3	3.7
1 to 3 years	540	14	2.6	498	11	2.2	42	3	(B)
4 years or more	683	1	0.1	643	1	0.2	40	-	(B)
Median years of school completed	11.9	8.5	(X)	11.9	8.6	(X)	12.2	(B)	(X)
Head 65 Years and Over									
Total	7,078	1,239	17.5	5,963	976	16.4	1,115	263	23.6
Elementary school, total	4,161	930	22.4	3,470	719	20.7	691	211	30.5
Less than 8 years[1]	2,354	675	28.7	1,910	516	27.0	444	159	35.8
8 years	1,807	255	14.1	1,560	204	13.1	247	51	20.6
High school, total	1,959	224	11.4	1,639	181	11.0	320	43	13.4
1 to 3 years	966	120	12.4	828	100	12.1	138	20	14.5
4 years	992	104	10.5	809	81	10.0	183	23	12.6
College, total	958	85	8.9	854	76	8.9	104	9	8.7
1 to 3 years	418	54	12.9	353	49	13.9	65	5	(B)
4 years or more	540	31	5.7	501	27	5.4	39	4	(B)
Median years of school completed	8.7	7.3	(X)	8.7	7.6	(X)	8.5	6.6	(X)
Head worked year round full time									
Total	988	59	6.0	933	55	5.9	55	4	(B)
Elementary school, total	425	29	6.8	406	27	6.7	19	2	(B)
Less than 8 years[1]	190	20	10.5	180	19	10.6	10	1	(B)
8 years	234	9	3.8	225	8	3.6	9	1	(B)
High school, total	330	16	4.8	307	16	5.2	23	-	(B)
1 to 3 years	148	6	4.1	139	6	4.3	9	-	(B)
4 years	182	10	5.5	168	10	6.0	14	-	(B)
College, total	234	13	5.6	221	12	5.4	13	1	(B)
1 to 3 years	79	5	6.3	70	4	(B)	9	1	(B)
4 years or more	155	8	5.2	151	8	5.3	4	-	(B)
Median years of school completed	10.4	(B)	(X)	10.3	(B)	(X)	(B)	(B)	(X)

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 18.--EDUCATION OF FAMILY HEAD--FAMILIES WITH HEAD 25 YEARS OLD AND OVER BY POVERTY STATUS IN 1969, YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED, AGE, SEX, AND RACE OF HEAD--Continued

(Numbers in thousands. Families as of March 1970)

Years of school completed and age of head	All families			Families with male head			Families with female head		
	Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level	
		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total
WHITE									
Head 25 Years and Over									
Total	42,967	3,178	7.4	39,065	2,271	5.8	3,902	907	23.2
Elementary school, total	10,852	1,666	15.4	9,649	1,323	13.7	1,203	343	28.5
Less than 8 years[1]	5,207	1,098	21.1	4,535	874	19.3	672	224	33.3
8 years	5,645	568	10.1	5,114	448	8.8	531	120	22.6
High school, total	20,984	1,190	5.7	18,904	721	3.8	2,080	469	22.5
1 to 3 years	7,026	554	7.9	6,287	326	5.2	739	228	30.9
4 years	13,958	636	4.6	12,618	395	3.1	1,340	241	18.0
College, total	11,131	322	2.9	10,512	227	2.2	619	95	15.3
1 to 3 years	4,914	197	4.0	4,555	131	2.9	359	66	18.4
4 years or more	6,216	125	2.0	5,956	96	1.6	260	29	11.2
Median years of school completed	12.3	8.9	(X)	12.3	8.6	(X)	12.0	10.4	(X)
Head 25 to 34 Years									
Total	9,381	628	6.7	8,793	355	4.0	588	273	46.4
Elementary school, total	794	172	21.7	731	131	17.9	63	41	(B)
Less than 8 years[1]	358	115	32.1	325	92	28.3	33	23	(B)
8 years	436	57	13.1	406	39	9.6	30	18	(B)
High school, total	5,298	367	6.9	4,880	171	3.5	418	196	46.9
1 to 3 years	1,388	168	12.1	1,231	69	5.6	157	99	63.1
4 years	3,910	199	5.1	3,649	101	2.8	261	98	37.5
College, total	3,289	89	2.7	3,182	53	1.7	107	36	33.6
1 to 3 years	1,452	61	4.2	1,381	33	2.4	71	28	(B)
4 years or more	1,837	28	1.5	1,801	20	1.1	36	8	(B)
Median years of school completed	12.6	11.5	(X)	12.7	11.0	(X)	12.3	11.9	(X)
Head 35 to 44 Years									
Total	9,752	591	6.1	9,003	379	4.2	749	212	28.3
Elementary school, total	1,618	264	16.3	1,481	206	13.9	137	58	42.3
Less than 8 years[1]	760	163	21.4	682	125	18.3	78	38	48.7
8 years	858	101	11.8	799	81	10.1	59	20	(B)
High school, total	5,201	267	5.1	4,718	135	2.9	483	132	27.3
1 to 3 years	1,602	122	7.6	1,442	57	4.0	160	65	40.6
4 years	3,599	146	4.1	3,276	80	2.4	323	66	20.4
College, total	2,932	60	2.0	2,802	38	1.4	130	22	16.9
1 to 3 years	1,223	41	3.4	1,140	25	2.2	83	16	19.3
4 years or more	1,709	18	1.1	1,663	11	0.7	46	7	(B)
Median years of school completed	12.5	9.8	(X)	12.5	8.8	(X)	12.2	11.2	(X)
Head 45 to 54 Years									
Total	9,803	483	4.9	8,933	338	3.8	870	145	16.7
Elementary school, total	2,066	219	10.6	1,881	163	8.7	185	56	30.3
Less than 8 years[1]	907	140	15.4	811	101	12.5	96	39	40.6
8 years	1,159	79	6.8	1,070	62	5.8	89	17	19.1
High school, total	5,264	208	4.0	4,729	135	2.9	535	73	13.6
1 to 3 years	1,755	97	5.5	1,585	61	3.8	170	36	21.2
4 years	3,509	111	3.2	3,144	74	2.4	365	37	10.1
College, total	2,472	56	2.3	2,322	41	1.8	150	15	10.0
1 to 3 years	1,145	23	2.0	1,066	13	1.2	79	10	12.7
4 years or more	1,327	33	2.5	1,256	27	2.1	71	6	(B)
Median years of school completed	12.3	9.7	(X)	12.3	9.3	(X)	12.2	10.4	(X)

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 18.--EDUCATION OF FAMILY HEAD--FAMILIES WITH HEAD 25 YEARS OLD AND OVER BY POVERTY STATUS IN 1969, YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED, AGE, SEX, AND RACE OF HEAD--Continued

(Numbers in thousands. Families as of March 1970)

Years of school completed and age of head	All families			Families with male head			Families with female head		
	Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level	
		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total
WHITE--Continued									
Head 55 to 64 Years									
Total	7,516	465	6.2	6,772	365	5.4	744	100	13.4
Elementary school, total	2,682	285	10.6	2,418	230	9.5	264	55	20.8
Less than 8 years[1]	1,218	193	15.8	1,084	159	14.7	134	34	25.4
8 years	1,464	93	6.4	1,335	73	5.5	129	20	15.5
High school, total	3,328	140	4.2	2,981	109	3.7	347	31	8.9
1 to 3 years	1,351	62	4.6	1,219	47	3.9	132	15	11.4
4 years	1,977	77	3.9	1,762	60	3.4	215	17	7.9
College, total	1,507	40	2.7	1,373	26	1.9	134	14	10.4
1 to 3 years	688	23	3.3	624	15	2.4	64	8	(B)
4 years or more	819	16	2.0	749	10	1.3	70	6	(B)
Median years of school completed	11.4	8.4	(X)	11.4	8.3	(X)	11.5	8.8	(X)
Head 65 Years and Over									
Total	6,515	1,011	15.5	5,564	832	15.0	951	179	18.8
Elementary school, total	3,692	725	19.6	3,137	591	18.8	555	134	24.1
Less than 8 years[1]	1,965	487	24.8	1,633	398	24.4	332	89	26.8
8 years	1,727	238	13.8	1,504	193	12.8	223	45	20.2
High school, total	1,892	208	11.0	1,595	172	10.8	297	36	12.1
1 to 3 years	930	106	11.4	810	92	11.4	120	14	11.7
4 years or more	962	103	10.7	785	80	10.2	177	23	13.0
College, total	931	77	8.3	832	69	8.3	99	8	8.1
1 to 3 years	406	48	11.8	344	43	12.5	62	5	(B)
4 years or more	525	29	5.5	488	26	5.3	37	3	(B)
Median years of school completed	8.7	8.1	(X)	8.8	8.1	(X)	8.6	8.0	(X)
NEGRO									
Head 25 Years and Over									
Total	4,332	1,175	27.1	3,132	564	18.0	1,200	611	50.9
Elementary school, total	1,866	675	36.2	1,356	380	28.0	510	295	57.8
Less than 8 years[1]	1,405	564	40.1	1,033	336	32.5	372	228	61.3
8 years	461	111	24.1	323	44	13.6	138	67	48.6
High school, total	2,025	475	23.5	1,404	165	11.8	621	310	49.9
1 to 3 years	1,034	308	29.8	676	98	14.5	358	210	58.7
4 years	991	167	16.9	728	67	9.2	263	100	38.0
College, total	440	25	5.7	371	18	4.9	69	7	(B)
1 to 3 years	257	23	8.9	201	17	8.5	56	6	(B)
4 years or more	183	2	1.1	170	1	0.6	13	1	(B)
Median years of school completed	9.9	8.2	(X)	9.9	6.7	(X)	9.8	9.2	(X)
Head 25 to 34 Years									
Total	1,116	302	27.1	792	105	13.3	324	197	60.8
Elementary school, total	174	68	39.1	130	35	26.9	44	33	(B)
Less than 8 years[1]	124	55	44.4	92	31	33.7	32	24	(B)
8 years	50	13	(B)	37	4	(B)	13	9	(B)
High school, total	804	227	28.2	543	67	12.3	261	160	61.3
1 to 3 years	384	143	37.2	240	37	15.4	144	106	73.6
4 years	420	84	20.0	303	30	9.9	117	54	46.2
College, total	138	6	4.3	119	3	2.5	19	3	(B)
1 to 3 years	91	6	6.6	72	3	(B)	19	3	(B)
4 years or more	47	-	(B)	47	-	(B)	-	-	(B)
Median years of school completed	12.0	10.7	(X)	12.1	10.4	(X)	11.4	10.8	(X)

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 18.--EDUCATION OF FAMILY HEAD--FAMILIES WITH HEAD 25 YEARS OLD AND OVER BY POVERTY STATUS IN 1969, YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED, AGE, SEX, AND RACE OF HEAD--Continued

(Numbers in thousands. Families as of March 1970) 970)

Years of school completed and age of head	All families			Families with male head			Families with female head		
	Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level	
		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total
NEGRO--Continued									
Head 35 to 44 Years									
Total	1,044	270	25.9	725	106	14.6	319	164	51.4
Elementary school, total	331	125	37.8	232	62	26.7	99	63	63.6
Less than 8 years[1]	232	94	40.5	163	48	29.4	69	46	(B)
8 years	100	31	31.0	70	14	(B)	30	17	(B)
High school, total	579	138	23.8	380	39	10.3	199	99	49.7
1 to 3 years	291	88	30.2	179	24	13.4	112	64	57.1
4 years	288	51	17.7	200	17	8.5	88	34	38.6
College, total	133	7	5.3	111	5	4.5	22	2	(B)
1 to 3 years	73	7	(B)	57	5	(B)	16	2	(B)
4 years or more	60	-	(B)	55	-	(B)	5	-	(B)
Median years of school completed	11.0	9.4	(X)	11.2	8.4	(X)	10.6	9.9	(X)
Head 45 to 54 Years									
Total	936	210	22.4	699	106	15.2	237	104	43.9
Elementary school, total	453	145	32.0	335	74	22.1	118	71	60.2
Less than 8 years[1]	304	114	37.5	229	67	29.3	75	47	62.7
8 years	149	30	20.1	106	6	5.7	43	24	(B)
High school, total	393	66	16.8	290	33	11.4	103	33	32.0
1 to 3 years	209	43	20.6	149	20	13.4	60	23	(B)
4 years	184	23	12.5	141	12	8.5	43	11	(B)
College, total	89	-	-	73	-	(B)	16	-	(B)
1 to 3 years	60	-	(B)	46	-	(B)	14	-	(B)
4 years or more	29	-	(B)	28	-	(B)	1	-	(B)
Median years of school completed	9.2	7.4	(X)	9.3	6.3	(X)	9.0	8.2	(X)
Head 55 to 64 Years									
Total	729	182	25.0	565	112	19.8	164	70	42.7
Elementary school, total	483	146	30.2	361	87	24.1	122	59	48.4
Less than 8 years[1]	380	124	32.6	287	76	26.5	93	48	51.6
8 years	103	22	21.4	74	11	(B)	29	11	(B)
High school, total	189	29	15.3	155	18	11.6	34	11	(B)
1 to 3 years	115	21	18.3	90	11	12.2	25	10	(B)
4 years	75	7	9.3	66	6	(B)	9	1	(B)
College, total	57	7	(B)	50	7	(B)	7	-	(B)
1 to 3 years	23	7	(B)	20	7	(B)	3	-	(B)
4 years or more	34	-	(B)	30	-	(B)	4	-	(B)
Median years of school completed	7.7	5.8	(X)	7.9	5.8	(X)	7.0	(B)	(X)
Head 65 Years and Over									
Total	507	211	41.6	352	134	38.1	155	77	49.7
Elementary school, total	425	191	44.9	299	122	40.8	126	69	54.8
Less than 8 years[1]	365	177	48.5	263	115	43.7	102	62	60.8
8 years	60	14	(B)	36	7	(B)	24	7	(B)
High school, total	59	15	(B)	35	8	(B)	24	7	(B)
1 to 3 years	35	13	(B)	17	6	(B)	18	7	(B)
4 years	25	2	(B)	19	2	(B)	6	-	(B)
College, total	23	5	(B)	18	4	(B)	5	1	(B)
1 to 3 years	10	3	(B)	7	3	(B)	3	-	(B)
4 years or more	13	2	(B)	11	1	(B)	2	1	(B)
Median years of school completed	5.6	4.8	(X)	5.4	4.7	(X)	6.1	5.0	(X)

- Represents zero. B Base less than 75,000. X Not applicable.
[1] Includes heads with no years of school completed.

Table 19. EDUCATION OF UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS--UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS 25 YEARS OLD AND OVER BY POVERTY STATUS IN 1969, YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED, AND SEX

(Numbers in thousands. Unrelated individuals as of March 1970)

Years of school completed	Total			Male			Female		
	Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level	
		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total
Total	12,717	4,184	32.9	4,618	1,112	24.1	8,099	3,072	37.9
Elementary school, total	5,070	2,590	51.1	1,881	749	39.8	3,189	1,841	57.7
Less than 8 years[1]	2,799	1,612	57.6	1,132	514	45.4	1,667	1,098	65.9
8 years	2,271	978	43.1	749	235	31.4	1,522	743	48.8
High school, total	4,808	1,164	24.2	1,529	241	15.8	3,279	923	28.1
1 to 3 years	1,835	558	30.4	578	101	17.5	1,257	457	36.4
4 years	2,973	606	20.4	951	140	14.7	2,022	466	23.0
College, total	2,839	430	15.1	1,207	122	10.1	1,632	308	18.9
1 to 3 years	1,199	224	18.7	432	41	9.5	767	183	23.9
4 years or more	1,640	206	12.6	775	81	10.5	865	125	14.5
Median years of school completed	11.1	8.5	(X)	11.2	8.2	(X)	11.1	8.6	(X)
Worked Year Round Full Time									
Total	4,554	294	6.5	2,178	125	5.7	2,376	169	7.1
Elementary school, total	949	112	11.8	552	61	11.1	397	51	12.8
Less than 8 years[1]	439	57	13.0	288	29	10.1	151	28	18.5
8 years	510	55	10.8	264	32	12.1	246	23	9.3
High school, total	1,978	78	3.9	830	28	3.4	1,148	50	4.4
1 to 3 years	575	25	4.3	259	5	1.9	316	20	6.3
4 years	1,403	53	3.8	570	23	4.0	833	30	3.6
College, total	1,627	105	6.5	796	36	4.5	831	69	8.3
1 to 3 years	610	20	3.3	270	5	1.9	340	15	4.4
4 years or more	1,017	85	8.4	527	32	6.1	490	53	10.8
Median years of school completed	12.5	12.2	(X)	12.5	10.2	(X)	12.6	12.5	(X)

X Not applicable.
[1] Includes unrelated individuals with no years of school completed.

Table 20. TOTAL MONEY INCOME IN 1969--FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS BELOW THE POVERTY LEVEL IN 1969, BY NUMBER OF FAMILY MEMBERS UNDER 18 YEARS OLD AND SEX AND RACE OF HEAD

(Numbers in thousands. Families, unrelated individuals and family members as of March 1970)

Total money income and number of family members under 18[1]	All races			White			Negro		
	Total	Male head[2]	Female head[2]	Total	Male head[2]	Female head[2]	Total	Male head[2]	Female head[2]
ALL FAMILIES									
Number.....thousands..	4,950	3,146	1,804	3,555	2,490	1,065	1,326	609	718
Percent.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Under $1,000.....	16.3	14.2	19.7	17.7	15.5	22.7	12.2	9.0	14.9
$1,000 to $1,499.....	13.5	12.7	15.1	13.1	12.5	14.6	14.8	14.0	15.6
$1,500 to $1,999.....	18.5	19.0	17.6	19.3	19.9	17.8	16.5	15.6	17.3
$2,000 to $2,499.....	18.1	18.1	18.2	19.7	19.6	19.9	14.4	12.3	16.1
$2,500 to $2,999.....	8.1	7.3	9.4	7.4	6.7	8.9	10.2	9.9	10.4
$3,000 to $3,499.....	7.6	7.3	8.1	6.9	7.1	6.4	9.5	8.4	10.3
$3,500 to $3,999.....	6.1	6.6	5.3	5.8	6.0	5.4	6.7	8.4	5.3
$4,000 to $4,999.....	7.8	9.4	5.0	6.9	8.2	3.7	10.3	14.1	7.1
$5,000 to $5,999.....	3.5	4.6	1.5	2.7	3.5	0.6	5.1	7.7	2.9
$6,000 and over.....	0.5	0.7	-	0.5	0.8	-	0.2	0.5	-
Median income.....	$2,046	$2,111	$1,932	$1,997	$2,052	$1,856	$2,223	$2,460	$2,067
Mean income.....	$2,150	$2,231	$2,010	$2,034	$2,105	$1,867	$2,439	$2,688	$2,228
Income per family member.....	$548	$564	$518	$568	$575	$552	$505	$528	$482
Head Worked Year Round Full Time									
Number.....thousands..	1,069	926	143	771	718	53	282	193	89
Percent.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	(B)	100.0	100.0	100.0
Under $1,000.....	16.4	17.9	7.0	20.5	21.6	(B)	4.8	3.1	8.3
$1,000 to $1,499.....	8.8	8.1	12.9	9.8	8.8	(B)	6.7	6.2	7.4
$1,500 to $1,999.....	10.2	9.7	13.0	10.9	11.0	(B)	8.7	6.2	15.1
$2,000 to $2,499.....	11.9	11.0	17.4	12.9	12.3	(B)	9.6	7.2	14.7
$2,500 to $2,999.....	7.0	6.5	10.2	7.0	6.4	(B)	7.5	7.2	7.4
$3,000 to $3,499.....	10.8	10.2	15.4	9.3	9.1	(B)	15.2	14.9	16.2
$3,500 to $3,999.....	9.4	9.5	8.2	8.2	7.9	(B)	11.4	13.3	7.0
$4,000 to $4,999.....	15.3	16.3	9.2	12.8	13.7	(B)	22.2	25.6	14.9
$5,000 to $5,999.....	8.8	9.1	6.7	7.0	7.4	(B)	13.0	14.9	9.1
$6,000 and over.....	1.4	1.6	-	1.6	1.8	(B)	0.9	1.5	-
Median income.....	$2,696	$2,747	$2,491	$2,341	$2,349	(B)	$3,416	$3,690	$2,807
Mean income.....	$2,485	$2,459	$2,650	$2,160	$2,150	(B)	$3,328	$3,544	$2,860
Income per family member.....	$505	$497	$566	$486	$477	(B)	$542	$545	$537
FAMILIES WITH NO FAMILY MEMBERS UNDER 18									
Number.....thousands..	1,752	1,437	315	1,466	1,234	232	261	190	71
Percent.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	(B)
Under $1,000.....	19.6	19.3	21.1	19.5	19.8	18.0	18.9	16.0	(B)
$1,000 to $1,499.....	21.0	20.0	25.6	19.8	18.9	24.9	28.5	28.3	(B)
$1,500 to $1,999.....	32.0	32.5	29.8	32.3	32.6	30.4	29.8	31.0	(B)
$2,000 to $2,499.....	24.0	25.0	19.3	25.2	25.7	22.5	18.0	20.3	(B)
$2,500 to $2,999.....	2.2	2.1	2.9	1.9	1.9	2.4	4.3	3.7	(B)
$3,000 to $3,499.....	0.6	0.6	0.9	0.7	0.6	1.2	-	-	(B)
$3,500 to $3,999.....	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.5	0.5	(B)
$4,000 to $4,999.....	0.1	0.1	-	0.1	0.2	-	-	-	(B)
$5,000 to $5,999.....	0.1	0.1	-	0.1	0.1	-	-	-	(B)
$6,000 and over.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(B)
Median income.....	$1,646	$1,665	$1,556	$1,665	$1,674	$1,616	$1,544	$1,591	(B)
Mean income.....	$1,460	$1,453	$1,494	$1,454	$1,438	$1,541	$1,503	$1,541	(B)
Income per family member.....	$678	$674	$697	$679	$671	$722	$667	$687	(B)
FAMILIES WITH 1 OR MORE FAMILY MEMBERS UNDER 18									
Number.....thousands..	3,195	1,707	1,488	2,086	1,255	831	1,065	418	647
Percent.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Under $1,000.....	14.4	10.0	19.5	16.4	11.4	24.0	10.6	5.9	13.6
$1,000 to $1,499.....	9.5	6.5	12.8	8.4	6.3	11.7	11.5	7.6	14.1
$1,500 to $1,999.....	11.1	7.7	15.0	10.1	7.4	14.2	13.2	8.8	16.1
$2,000 to $2,499.....	15.0	12.4	17.9	15.9	13.7	19.3	13.5	8.8	16.6
$2,500 to $2,999.....	11.3	11.7	10.8	11.2	11.5	10.7	11.6	12.6	11.0
$3,000 to $3,499.....	11.5	13.0	9.7	11.2	13.5	7.8	11.7	12.1	11.5
$3,500 to $3,999.....	9.3	11.8	6.4	9.7	11.6	6.7	8.3	11.9	5.9
$4,000 to $4,999.....	12.0	17.2	6.0	11.6	16.2	4.7	12.9	20.4	7.9
$5,000 to $5,999.....	5.4	8.4	1.9	4.5	6.9	0.8	6.4	11.2	3.3
$6,000 and over.....	0.7	1.3	-	0.9	1.5	-	0.3	0.7	-
Median income.....	$2,503	$3,065	$2,075	$2,473	$2,986	$2,003	$2,548	$3,125	$2,185
Mean income.....	$2,528	$2,884	$2,119	$2,442	$2,761	$1,960	$2,666	$3,203	$2,319
Income per family member.....	$516	$527	$499	$532	$536	$524	$488	$502	$476

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 20. TOTAL MONEY INCOME IN 1969--FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS BELOW THE POVERTY LEVEL IN 1969, BY NUMBER OF FAMILY MEMBERS UNDER 18 YEARS OLD AND SEX AND RACE OF HEAD--Continued

(Numbers in thousands. Families, unrelated individuals and family members as of March 1970)

Total money income and number of family members under 18[1]	All races			White			Negro		
	Total	Male head[2]	Female head[2]	Total	Male head[2]	Female head[2]	Total	Male head[2]	Female head[2]
FAMILIES WITH 1 FAMILY MEMBER UNDER 18									
Number.....thousands..	745	385	360	532	305	227	203	72	131
Percent.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	(B)	100.0
Under $1,000.....	24.8	20.8	28.8	25.9	23.3	29.5	22.3	(B)	28.0
$1,000 to $1,499.....	15.5	9.4	22.1	14.3	8.5	21.9	17.9	(B)	22.0
$1,500 to $1,999.....	19.7	15.1	24.6	17.3	12.8	23.2	25.5	(B)	27.5
$2,000 to $2,499.....	23.5	26.0	20.8	24.6	27.5	20.7	20.6	(B)	20.6
$2,500 to $2,999.....	12.0	20.5	2.9	13.7	21.3	3.6	8.1	(B)	1.8
$3,000 to $3,499.....	3.3	6.0	0.4	3.3	5.6	0.6	2.8	(B)	-
$3,500 to $3,999.....	0.5	1.0	-	0.2	0.3	-	1.3	(B)	-
$4,000 to $4,999.....	0.7	1.3	0.4	0.5	0.7	0.6	1.4	(B)	-
$5,000 to $5,999.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(B)	-
$6,000 and over.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(B)	-
Median income.....	$1,747	$2,093	$1,479	$1,781	$2,098	$1,469	$1,690	(B)	$1,500
Mean income.....	$1,516	$1,617	$1,408	$1,462	$1,505	$1,404	$1,658	(B)	$1,409
Income per family member.....	$554	$509	$620	$536	$484	$632	$609	(B)	$607
FAMILIES WITH 2 FAMILY MEMBERS UNDER 18									
Number.....thousands..	745	359	386	543	285	258	198	72	126
Percent.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	(B)	100.0
Under $1,000.....	17.2	10.6	23.4	19.7	11.2	29.0	10.2	(B)	11.1
$1,000 to $1,499.....	10.0	8.9	11.1	9.3	8.8	9.9	12.1	(B)	13.7
$1,500 to $1,999.....	11.7	9.2	14.0	9.5	8.4	10.7	17.9	(B)	20.9
$2,000 to $2,499.....	20.6	15.1	25.6	21.0	16.5	25.8	19.8	(B)	25.3
$2,500 to $2,999.....	16.1	14.5	17.6	14.8	12.3	17.4	19.1	(B)	18.1
$3,000 to $3,499.....	14.4	23.7	5.6	14.6	22.8	5.6	14.0	(B)	5.7
$3,500 to $3,999.....	7.6	13.7	1.8	9.2	16.5	1.0	3.4	(B)	3.5
$4,000 to $4,999.....	2.6	4.2	0.9	1.9	3.5	0.5	3.5	(B)	1.8
$5,000 to $5,999.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(B)	-
$6,000 and over.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(B)	-
Median income.....	$2,270	$2,712	$2,029	$2,274	$2,707	$2,006	$2,249	(B)	$2,087
Mean income.....	$2,087	$2,365	$1,828	$2,034	$2,325	$1,713	$2,220	(B)	$2,075
Income per family member.....	$557	$563	$551	$548	$558	$535	$587	(B)	$584
FAMILIES WITH 3 FAMILY MEMBERS UNDER 18									
Number.....thousands..	594	315	279	404	241	163	179	65	114
Percent.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	(B)	100.0
Under $1,000.....	11.4	7.6	15.4	11.7	7.5	17.7	10.0	(B)	12.5
$1,000 to $1,499.....	9.6	6.4	13.1	8.7	7.5	10.7	12.2	(B)	16.8
$1,500 to $1,999.....	9.9	8.3	11.9	8.2	7.1	9.6	14.5	(B)	15.5
$2,000 to $2,499.....	12.0	8.6	15.7	12.7	9.2	17.9	11.2	(B)	13.0
$2,500 to $2,999.....	10.5	8.3	12.8	10.3	8.3	12.9	11.7	(B)	12.9
$3,000 to $3,499.....	16.3	14.3	18.7	15.9	16.7	14.8	16.9	(B)	22.6
$3,500 to $3,999.....	13.1	18.2	7.5	15.2	17.5	11.4	8.5	(B)	2.0
$4,000 to $4,999.....	14.6	23.9	4.5	15.4	22.5	5.0	13.2	(B)	3.8
$5,000 to $5,999.....	1.6	2.5	0.4	0.7	2.1	-	1.9	(B)	1.0
$6,000 and over.....	0.9	1.9	-	1.4	2.5	-	-	(B)	-
Median income.....	$2,838	$3,378	$2,303	$2,926	$3,036	$2,336	$2,595	(B)	$2,200
Mean income.....	$2,633	$2,994	$2,225	$2,636	$2,915	$2,224	$2,570	(B)	$2,209
Income per family member.....	$536	$555	$510	$550	$560	$531	$503	(B)	$481
FAMILIES WITH 4 MEMBERS UNDER 18									
Number.....thousands..	450	248	202	273	176	97	170	66	104
Percent.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	(B)	100.0
Under $1,000.....	9.8	7.3	12.7	11.7	8.5	17.2	7.2	(B)	8.7
$1,000 to $1,499.....	6.1	3.3	9.2	2.4	1.7	3.9	11.7	(B)	13.4
$1,500 to $1,999.....	6.5	2.0	12.0	8.4	2.3	19.6	3.8	(B)	5.0
$2,000 to $2,499.....	7.3	3.3	12.4	4.8	4.0	6.7	11.6	(B)	17.8
$2,500 to $2,999.....	8.1	8.6	7.6	5.8	6.8	4.2	12.0	(B)	10.8
$3,000 to $3,499.....	14.0	12.7	15.6	13.2	13.6	12.3	15.2	(B)	18.9
$3,500 to $3,999.....	16.5	15.9	17.3	18.0	15.9	21.8	14.7	(B)	13.3
$4,000 to $4,999.....	25.2	37.1	10.9	28.5	38.1	11.6	19.8	(B)	10.3
$5,000 to $5,999.....	5.0	7.3	2.2	5.3	6.2	2.7	4.0	(B)	1.8
$6,000 and over.....	1.4	2.4	-	1.9	2.8	-	-	(B)	-
Median income.....	$3,434	$3,904	$2,743	$3,603	$3,609	$2,816	$3,119	(B)	$2,737
Mean income.....	$3,117	$3,524	$2,617	$3,173	$3,495	$2,588	$2,982	(B)	$2,655
Income per family member.....	$523	$549	$486	$541	$560	$499	$492	(B)	$477

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Table 20. TOTAL MONEY INCOME IN 1969--FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS BELOW THE POVERTY LEVEL IN 1969, BY NUMBER OF FAMILY MEMBERS UNDER 18 YEARS OLD AND SEX AND RACE OF HEAD--Continued

(Numbers in thousands. Families, unrelated individuals and family members as of March 1970)

Total money income and number of family members under 18[1]	All races			White			Negro		
	Total	Male head[2]	Female head[2]	Total	Male head[2]	Female head[2]	Total	Male head[2]	Female head[2]
FAMILIES WITH 5 FAMILY MEMBERS UNDER 18									
Number.....thousands..	320	195	125	189	140	49	123	48	75
Percent.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	(B)	100.0	(B)	100.0
Under $1,000.....	4.6	1.0	10.8	4.3	0.7	(B)	5.3	(B)	8.1
$1,000 to $1,499.....	3.5	3.1	4.2	2.7	2.9	(B)	4.8	(B)	5.4
$1,500 to $1,999.....	5.8	2.6	10.8	4.0	3.6	(B)	8.8	(B)	14.9
$2,000 to $2,499.....	7.6	5.1	10.9	6.8	4.3	(B)	9.2	(B)	9.5
$2,500 to $2,999.....	8.7	6.2	13.0	5.5	4.3	(B)	14.0	(B)	16.2
$3,000 to $3,499.....	10.2	7.2	14.7	11.1	8.6	(B)	8.6	(B)	10.8
$3,500 to $3,999.....	11.9	12.3	10.9	10.2	9.4	(B)	12.6	(B)	9.5
$4,000 to $4,999.....	24.0	26.2	20.5	27.0	28.1	(B)	20.9	(B)	18.9
$5,000 to $5,999.....	20.4	30.8	4.2	24.0	32.4	(B)	13.7	(B)	6.8
$6,000 and over.....	3.4	5.6	-	4.5	5.8	(B)	2.1	(B)	-
Median income.....	$3,911	$4,480	$3,013	$4,200	$4,577	(B)	$3,460	(B)	$2,875
Mean income.....	$3,709	$4,246	$2,871	$3,903	$4,293	(B)	$3,367	(B)	$2,921
Income per family member.....	$544	$588	$463	$571	$602	(B)	$495	(B)	$461
FAMILIES WITH 6 OR MORE FAMILY MEMBERS UNDER 18									
Number.....thousands..	342	205	137	145	108	37	192	95	97
Percent.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	(B)	100.0	100.0	100.0
Under $1,000.....	6.2	3.9	9.7	7.2	4.6	(B)	5.6	3.2	8.1
$1,000 to $1,499.....	4.9	3.9	6.3	1.5	1.9	(B)	7.6	5.3	8.9
$1,500 to $1,999.....	4.3	2.5	7.1	2.8	2.8	(B)	5.5	3.2	8.6
$2,000 to $2,499.....	6.2	4.4	8.5	6.1	4.6	(B)	6.5	4.3	8.0
$2,500 to $2,999.....	7.1	4.9	10.4	9.0	5.6	(B)	5.8	3.2	7.9
$3,000 to $3,499.....	12.3	11.3	13.9	11.0	11.1	(B)	13.0	11.7	14.4
$3,500 to $3,999.....	13.6	13.7	13.4	14.3	13.0	(B)	12.0	13.8	10.5
$4,000 to $4,999.....	24.0	27.9	18.4	26.3	30.6	(B)	22.9	25.5	20.6
$5,000 to $5,999.....	21.4	27.5	12.2	21.7	25.9	(B)	21.2	29.8	13.1
$6,000 and over.....	-	-	-	-	-	(B)	-	-	-
Median income.....	$3,832	$4,193	$3,286	$3,931	$4,212	(B)	$3,753	$4,208	$3,297
Mean income.....	$3,642	$3,959	$3,168	$3,727	$3,935	(B)	$3,568	$3,966	$3,178
Income per family member.....	$408	$425	$379	$426	$436	(B)	$394	$413	$374
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
Number.....thousands..	4,851	1,379	3,472	3,962	1,047	2,915	806	287	520
Percent.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Under $1,000.....	40.8	40.6	40.9	38.8	37.2	39.4	50.2	52.4	49.0
$1,000 to $1,499.....	38.1	34.3	39.6	38.7	34.5	40.2	35.2	32.3	36.7
$1,500 to $1,999.....	21.1	25.1	19.5	22.5	28.2	20.4	14.6	15.3	14.3
$2,000 to $2,499.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
$2,500 to $2,999.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
$3,000 to $3,499.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
$3,500 to $3,999.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
$4,000 to $4,999.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
$5,000 to $5,999.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
$6,000 and over.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Median income.....	$1,121	$1,137	$1,116	$1,145	$1,185	$1,132	$996	$954	$1,014
Mean income.....	$1,019	$1,014	$1,021	$1,032	$1,038	$1,030	$963	$947	$972
Income per family member.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
FAMILY MEMBERS UNDER 18									
Number.....thousands..	9,821	5,444	4,377	5,777	3,684	2,093	3,879	1,640	2,239
Percent.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Under $1,000.....	10.8	6.8	16.1	12.6	7.9	21.4	8.2	4.1	11.3
$1,000 to $1,499.....	7.4	5.4	10.0	6.1	4.9	8.3	9.5	6.8	11.6
$1,500 to $1,999.....	8.3	5.3	12.3	8.0	5.7	12.1	9.2	4.5	12.8
$2,000 to $2,499.....	11.3	8.5	15.1	12.1	9.3	17.2	10.6	7.0	13.3
$2,500 to $2,999.....	9.8	8.7	11.2	9.5	8.4	11.3	10.7	9.8	11.3
$3,000 to $3,499.....	12.5	12.3	12.8	12.1	13.2	10.1	12.8	10.7	14.4
$3,500 to $3,999.....	11.9	13.6	9.5	12.2	13.0	10.6	10.8	14.2	8.1
$4,000 to $4,999.....	17.3	23.2	9.5	17.5	23.0	7.4	17.3	24.6	11.6
$5,000 to $5,999.....	9.8	14.7	3.5	8.8	12.8	1.5	10.7	17.5	5.5
$6,000 and over.....	0.8	1.5	-	1.1	1.7	-	0.3	0.7	-
Median income.....	$3,094	$3,612	$2,384	$3,072	$3,536	$2,240	$3,077	$3,747	$2,544
Mean income.....	$2,961	$3,391	$2,426	$2,887	$3,269	$2,214	$3,037	$3,612	$2 616
Income per family member.....	$1,857	$1,976	$1,679	$1,743	$1,864	$1,492	$2,024	$2,221	$1,856

- Represents zero. B Base less than 75,000. X Not applicable.

[1]Other than head or wife.

[2]For families and family members, sex of the family head; for unrelated individuals, sex of the individual.

Table 21. TOTAL MONEY INCOME IN 1969 AND REGION--FAMILIES BELOW THE POVERTY LEVEL IN 1969, BY SEX AND RACE OF HEAD

(Numbers in thousands. Families as of March 1970)

Total money income and region	All races			White			Negro		
	Total	Male head	Female head	Total	Male head	Female head	Total	Male head	Female head
ALL FAMILIES									
Number.....thousands..	4,950	3,146	1,804	3,555	2,490	1,065	1,326	609	718
Percent.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Under $1,000.....	16.3	14.2	19.7	17.7	15.5	22.7	12.2	9.0	14.9
$1,000 to $1,499.....	13.5	12.7	15.1	13.1	12.5	14.6	14.8	14.0	15.6
$1,500 to $1,999.....	18.5	19.0	17.6	19.3	19.9	17.8	16.5	15.6	17.3
$2,000 to $2,499.....	18.1	18.1	18.2	19.7	19.6	19.9	14.4	12.3	16.1
$2,500 to $2,999.....	8.1	7.3	9.4	7.4	6.7	8.9	10.2	9.9	10.4
$3,000 to $3,499.....	7.6	7.3	8.1	6.9	7.1	6.4	9.5	8.4	10.3
$3,500 to $3,999.....	6.1	6.6	5.3	5.8	6.0	5.4	6.7	8.4	5.3
$4,000 to $4,999.....	7.8	9.4	5.0	6.9	8.2	3.7	10.3	14.1	7.1
$5,000 to $5,999.....	3.5	4.6	1.5	2.7	3.5	0.6	5.1	7.7	2.9
$6,000 and over.....	0.5	0.7	-	0.5	0.8	-	0.2	0.5	-
Median income.....	$2,046	$2,111	$1,932	$1,997	$2,052	$1,856	$2,223	$2,460	$2,067
Mean income.....	$2,150	$2,231	$2,010	$2,034	$2,105	$1,867	$2,439	$2,688	$2,228
Income per family member.....	$548	$564	$518	$568	$575	$552	$505	$528	$482
NORTHEAST									
Number.....thousands..	836	461	375	641	411	230	190	45	145
Percent.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	(B)	100.0
Under $1,000.....	17.5	17.1	18.2	19.5	17.0	24.0	10.0	(B)	8.9
$1,000 to $1,499.....	10.9	10.4	11.5	10.4	10.0	11.4	12.6	(B)	11.7
$1,500 to $1,999.....	15.7	17.1	14.2	16.5	17.5	14.7	13.7	(B)	13.5
$2,000 to $2,499.....	19.5	17.9	21.4	20.1	19.2	21.8	17.2	(B)	20.9
$2,500 to $2,999.....	9.8	8.0	12.0	8.5	6.6	11.8	14.5	(B)	12.2
$3,000 to $3,499.....	7.2	7.1	7.2	6.4	7.5	4.1	9.8	(B)	12.0
$3,500 to $3,999.....	6.2	6.0	6.4	5.9	6.3	5.4	6.9	(B)	8.1
$4,000 to $4,999.....	9.1	10.4	7.6	8.9	10.4	6.3	10.0	(B)	9.6
$5,000 to $5,999.....	3.6	5.2	1.5	3.0	4.6	0.6	5.4	(B)	2.9
$6,000 and over.....	0.5	0.9	-	0.7	1.0	-	-	(B)	-
Median income.....	$2,150	$2,154	$2,142	$2,089	$2,146	$1,997	$2,400	(B)	$2,380
Mean income.....	$2,206	$2,243	$2,160	$2,106	$2,198	$1,941	$2,553	(B)	$2,507
Income per family member.....	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
NORTH CENTRAL									
Number.....thousands..	1,071	722	349	876	650	226	188	66	122
Percent.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	(B)	100.0
Under $1,000.....	15.7	14.8	17.6	16.3	15.2	19.3	13.4	(B)	14.8
$1,000 to $1,499.....	13.0	12.5	14.0	13.1	12.0	16.2	12.2	(B)	9.5
$1,500 to $1,999.....	19.2	20.2	16.8	19.1	20.4	15.7	20.1	(B)	19.0
$2,000 to $2,499.....	18.8	18.4	19.4	19.9	19.5	21.4	13.1	(B)	15.2
$2,500 to $2,999.....	7.9	7.9	7.7	8.2	8.0	8.2	6.3	(B)	7.0
$3,000 to $3,499.....	7.6	6.8	9.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	8.9	(B)	13.2
$3,500 to $3,999.....	6.8	6.2	7.8	6.3	6.0	7.6	8.3	(B)	8.3
$4,000 to $4,999.....	7.3	7.9	6.0	6.6	7.5	3.5	10.8	(B)	10.8
$5,000 to $5,999.....	3.5	4.6	1.2	2.7	3.5	0.7	6.1	(B)	2.2
$6,000 and over.....	0.4	0.6	-	0.3	0.5	-	0.8	(B)	-
Median income.....	$2,058	$2,066	$2,041	$2,037	$2,061	$1,964	$2,163	(B)	$2,220
Mean income.....	$2,160	$2,181	$2,116	$2,085	$2,126	$1,968	$2,476	(B)	$2,394
Income per family member.....	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
SOUTH									
Number.....thousands..	2,325	1,526	799	1,428	1,042	386	884	472	412
Percent.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Under $1,000.....	15.3	12.8	20.1	17.0	14.9	22.8	12.8	8.5	17.7
$1,000 to $1,499.....	15.9	14.6	18.3	15.6	15.3	16.7	16.2	13.5	19.5
$1,500 to $1,999.....	19.8	19.8	19.8	22.1	21.8	22.7	16.1	15.2	17.2
$2,000 to $2,499.....	16.5	16.9	15.6	18.3	18.6	17.1	13.4	12.7	14.3
$2,500 to $2,999.....	7.5	6.7	9.0	6.4	6.1	7.2	9.4	8.2	10.8
$3,000 to $3,499.....	7.5	7.3	8.1	6.2	6.0	6.7	9.8	10.1	9.3
$3,500 to $3,999.....	5.6	6.7	3.4	4.9	5.4	3.7	6.6	9.5	3.2
$4,000 to $4,999.....	7.9	10.0	3.7	6.3	7.7	2.8	10.5	15.4	4.6
$5,000 to $5,999.....	3.7	4.6	1.9	2.6	3.5	0.4	5.2	6.8	3.4
$6,000 and over.....	0.4	0.5	-	0.6	0.8	-	-	-	-
Median income.....	$1,975	$2,082	$1,794	$1,894	$1,955	$1,733	$2,179	$2,506	$1,873
Mean income.....	$2,149	$2,268	$1,922	$1,980	$2,059	$1,767	$2,412	$2,711	$2,070
Income per family member.....	$524	$553	$468	$563	$574	$530	$479	$520	$429

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 21. TOTAL MONEY INCOME IN 1969 AND REGION--FAMILIES BELOW THE POVERTY LEVEL IN 1969, BY SEX AND RACE OF HEAD--Continued

(Numbers in thousands. Families as of March 1970)

Total money income and region	All races			White			Negro		
	Total	Male head	Female head	Total	Male head	Female head	Total	Male head	Female head
WEST									
Number.....thousands..	714	435	279	606	385	221	64	25	39
Percent.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	(B)	(B)	(B)
Under $1,000.....	18.6	15.6	23.3	19.4	16.3	24.8	(B)	(B)	(B)
$1,000 to $1,499.....	9.9	8.3	12.1	10.1	8.8	12.7	(B)	(B)	(B)
$1,500 to $1,999.....	16.7	16.6	16.8	16.0	16.5	14.8	(B)	(B)	(B)
$2,000 to $2,499.....	21.2	22.1	19.7	22.4	23.0	21.5	(B)	(B)	(B)
$2,500 to $2,999.....	7.8	7.1	8.9	7.0	5.7	9.3	(B)	(B)	(B)
$3,000 to $3,499.....	8.5	8.7	8.1	8.3	8.8	7.1	(B)	(B)	(B)
$3,500 to $3,999.....	6.9	7.4	6.2	7.2	8.0	5.9	(B)	(B)	(B)
$4,000 to $4,999.....	6.8	8.7	4.0	6.4	8.5	2.8	(B)	(B)	(B)
$5,000 to $5,999.....	2.8	4.1	0.9	2.5	3.4	1.1	(B)	(B)	(B)
$6,000 and over.....	0.9	1.4	-	0.7	1.0	-	(B)	(B)	(B)
Median income.....	$2,114	$2,216	$1,932	$2,101	$2,183	$1,925	(B)	(B)	(B)
Mean income.....	$2,075	$2,172	$1,923	$2,010	$2,095	$1,862	(B)	(B)	(B)
Income per family member.....	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

- Represents zero. B Base less than 75,000. NA Not available.

Table 22. SOURCE OF INCOME IN 1969--FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS BY POVERTY STATUS IN 1969 AND SEX OF HEAD

(Numbers in thousands. Families and unrelated individuals as of March 1970)

Source of income	All families			Families with male head[1]			Families with female head[1]		
	Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level	
		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total
FAMILIES									
Total[2].....	51,237	4,950	9.7	45,656	3,146	6.9	5,581	1,804	32.3
Earnings only.....	19,433	1,433	7.4	18,380	1,142	6.2	1,053	291	27.6
Wages or salary only.....	16,215	1,012	6.2	15,224	744	4.9	991	268	27.0
Self-employment income only.....	895	201	22.5	872	190	21.8	23	11	(B)
Wages or salary and self-employment income	2,323	220	9.5	2,284	208	9.1	39	12	(B)
Earnings and income other than earnings.....	27,469	1,763	6.4	24,137	1,059	4.4	3,332	704	21.1
Wages or salary and other income.....	21,997	1,297	5.9	18,995	655	3.4	3,002	642	21.4
Self-employment income and other income...	1,748	267	15.3	1,631	237	14.5	117	30	25.6
Wages or salary, self-employment income, and other income.....	3,723	199	5.3	3,510	166	4.7	213	33	15.5
Other income only, no earnings.....	4,186	1,601	38.2	3,080	883	28.7	1,106	718	64.9
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
Total.....	14,452	4,851	33.6	5,441	1,379	25.3	9,011	3,472	38.5
Earnings only.....	4,526	930	20.5	2,345	378	16.1	2,181	552	25.3
Wages or salary only.....	4,212	847	20.1	2,128	333	15.6	2,084	514	24.7
Self-employment income only.....	202	61	30.2	130	29	22.3	72	32	(B)
Wages or salary and self-employment income	111	22	19.8	86	16	18.6	25	6	(B)
Earnings and income other than earnings.....	4,373	635	14.5	1,763	241	13.7	2,610	394	15.1
Wages or salary and other income.....	3,681	485	13.2	1,456	180	12.4	2,225	305	13.7
Self-employment income and other income...	493	133	27.0	199	50	25.1	294	83	28.2
Wages or salary, self-employment income and other income.....	198	17	8.6	107	11	10.3	91	6	6.6
Other income only, no earnings.....	5,185	2,913	56.2	1,220	642	52.6	3,965	2,271	57.3

B Base less than 75,000.
[1] For unrelated individuals, sex of individual.
[2] Includes families and unrelated individuals with no income not shown separately.

Table 23. TYPE OF INCOME IN 1969--FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS BY POVERTY STATUS IN 1969, SEX, AND RACE OF HEAD

(Numbers in thousands. Families and unrelated individuals as of March 1970)

Type of income	All races			White			Negro		
	Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level		Total	Below poverty level	
		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total		Number	Percent of total
ALL FAMILIES									
Total	51,237	4,950	9.7	46,022	3,555	7.7	4,774	1,326	27.8
Wage or salary income	44,258	2,728	6.2	39,664	1,789	4.5	4,206	898	21.4
Nonfarm self-employment income	6,235	489	7.8	5,890	425	7.2	274	54	19.7
Farm self-employment income	2,836	424	15.0	2,722	375	13.8	101	48	47.5
Income other than earnings	31,654	3,364	10.6	28,965	2,417	8.3	2,411	905	37.5
FAMILIES WITH MALE HEAD									
Total	45,656	3,146	6.9	41,836	2,490	6.0	3,425	609	17.8
Wage or salary income	40,013	1,773	4.4	36,467	1,278	3.5	3,187	460	14.4
Nonfarm self-employment income	5,939	416	7.0	5,626	369	6.6	241	37	15.4
Farm self-employment income	2,726	409	15.0	2,615	363	13.9	98	45	45.9
Income other than earnings	27,216	1,942	7.1	25,547	1,582	6.2	1,426	337	23.6
FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD									
Total	5,581	1,804	32.3	4,186	1,065	25.4	1,349	718	53.2
Wage or salary income	4,245	955	22.5	3,197	511	16.0	1,019	438	43.0
Nonfarm self-employment income	296	73	24.7	264	56	21.2	33	17	(B)
Farm self-employment income	110	15	13.6	107	12	11.2	3	3	(B)
Income other than earnings	4,438	1,422	32.0	3,418	835	24.4	985	568	57.7
ALL UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
Total	14,452	4,851	33.6	12,473	3,962	31.8	1,752	806	46.0
Wage or salary income	8,203	1,377	16.8	6,918	1,021	14.8	1,132	320	28.3
Nonfarm self-employment income	748	164	21.9	678	143	21.1	61	21	(B)
Farm self-employment income	277	73	26.4	263	63	24.0	14	10	(B)
Income other than earnings	9,558	3,547	37.1	8,550	2,948	34.5	862	543	63.0
MALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
Total	5,441	1,379	25.3	4,473	1,047	23.4	813	287	35.2
Wage or salary income	3,778	546	14.5	3,076	397	12.9	590	129	21.9
Nonfarm self-employment income	394	74	18.8	349	65	18.6	39	9	(B)
Farm self-employment income	139	34	24.5	132	30	22.7	7	4	(B)
Income other than earnings	2,982	882	29.6	2,565	671	26.2	320	178	55.6
FEMALE UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS									
Total	9,011	3,472	38.5	8,000	2,915	36.4	939	520	55.4
Wage or salary income	4,425	831	18.8	3,842	624	16.2	542	191	35.2
Nonfarm self-employment income	354	90	25.4	329	78	23.7	22	12	(B)
Farm self-employment income	138	39	28.3	131	33	25.2	7	6	(B)
Income other than earnings	6,576	2,665	40.5	5,985	2,277	38.0	542	365	67.3

B Base less than 75,000.

Table 24. SIZE OF INCOME DEFICIT IN 1969--FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS BELOW THE POVERTY LEVEL IN 1969, BY NUMBER OF FAMILY MEMBERS UNDER 18 YEARS OLD AND SEX AND RACE OF HEAD

(Numbers in thousands. Families, unrelated individuals, and family members as of March 1970)

Size of income deficit and number of family members under 18[1]	All races			White			Negro and other races					
							Total			Negro		
	Total	Male head[2]	Female head[2]	Total	Male head[2]	Female head[2]	Total	Male head[2]	Female head[2]	Total	Male head[2]	Female head[2]
ALL FAMILIES												
Number.....thousands..	4,950	3,146	1,804	3,555	2,490	1,065	1,395	656	739	1,326	609	718
Percent.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
$1 to $124.....	7.1	8.5	4.7	8.5	9.4	6.4	3.7	5.2	2.3	3.8	5.4	2.4
$125 to $249.....	6.9	7.5	5.8	7.7	7.9	7.4	4.7	6.0	3.5	4.8	6.2	3.6
$250 to $499.....	12.8	14.5	9.8	13.8	15.1	10.8	10.1	12.1	8.4	10.0	12.0	8.2
$500 to $749.....	12.9	13.4	12.0	13.1	13.5	12.1	12.3	13.0	11.8	11.9	12.2	11.7
$750 to $999.....	10.9	11.4	10.0	11.0	11.3	10.3	10.6	11.8	9.6	10.8	12.2	9.6
$1,000 to $1,249.....	7.8	7.7	8.0	7.5	7.7	6.8	8.7	7.5	9.9	8.7	7.2	10.0
$1,250 to $1,499.....	8.7	8.5	9.0	8.6	8.4	9.2	9.0	9.3	8.6	9.1	9.5	8.8
$1,500 to $1,749.....	5.8	5.1	7.2	5.3	4.7	6.6	7.4	6.6	8.0	7.1	6.7	7.4
$1,750 to $1,999.....	4.8	4.1	5.9	4.2	3.7	5.5	6.2	5.7	6.6	6.2	5.4	6.8
$2,000 to $2,499.....	8.9	8.3	10.0	8.6	8.1	9.6	9.7	8.9	10.5	9.7	8.7	10.6
$2,500 to $2,999.....	6.0	4.7	8.2	5.7	4.7	8.0	6.7	4.9	8.4	6.9	5.1	8.3
$3,000 to $3,999.....	5.2	4.6	6.4	4.3	3.9	5.1	7.7	7.0	8.2	7.8	7.2	8.3
$4,000 and over.....	2.2	1.7	3.1	1.8	1.6	2.3	3.2	2.0	4.2	3.3	2.1	4.3
Median income deficit.....	$987	$885	$1,240	$906	$842	$1,110	$1,246	$1,063	$1,385	$1,253	$1,067	$1,382
Mean income deficit.....	$1,283	$1,174	$1,473	$1,200	$1,130	$1,364	$1,494	$1,342	$1,629	$1,504	$1,349	$1,636
Deficit per family member.....	$327	$297	$380	$336	$309	$403	$310	$264	$354	$311	$266	$354
FAMILIES WITH NO FAMILY MEMBERS UNDER 18												
Number.....thousands..	1,745	1,438	307	1,462	1,236	226	284	202	81	259	190	69
Percent.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	(B)
$1 to $124.....	11.5	12.0	9.2	12.3	12.8	9.7	7.4	6.9	7.6	8.1	7.4	(B)
$125 to $249.....	10.7	10.0	13.7	11.1	10.0	17.3	7.7	9.4	3.8	8.5	10.0	(B)
$250 to $499.....	17.6	17.7	17.0	18.4	18.7	16.8	13.3	11.9	17.7	12.7	11.6	(B)
$500 to $749.....	15.8	16.1	14.1	15.1	15.4	13.7	18.9	21.3	13.9	19.2	20.5	(B)
$750 to $999.....	13.2	12.9	14.1	12.7	12.7	12.8	15.4	14.9	17.7	15.4	14.7	(B)
$1,000 to $1,249.....	9.0	8.7	10.5	8.7	8.4	10.2	10.5	9.9	11.4	11.5	10.5	(B)
$1,250 to $1,499.....	8.0	7.8	8.8	7.1	6.9	8.4	12.6	13.4	10.1	12.3	12.6	(B)
$1,500 to $1,749.....	4.4	3.8	7.5	3.6	3.2	5.8	8.4	6.9	12.7	6.9	7.4	(B)
$1,750 to $1,999.....	2.5	2.6	2.0	2.5	2.7	1.8	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.3	2.1	(B)
$2,000 to $2,499.....	6.8	7.7	2.9	7.6	8.4	3.1	3.2	3.0	2.5	3.1	3.2	(B)
$2,500 to $2,999.....	0.6	0.6	0.3	0.7	0.6	0.4	-	-	-	-	-	(B)
$3,000 to $3,999.....	0.1	0.1	-	0.1	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	(B)
$4,000 and over.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(B)
Median income deficit.....	$663	$659	$682	$634	$638	$610	$791	$759	$858	$777	$757	(B)
Mean income deficit.....	$805	$811	$777	$793	$805	$731	$867	$853	$904	$851	$844	(B)
Deficit per family member.....	$372	$376	$353	$369	$376	$334	$388	$380	$405	$375	$376	(B)
FAMILIES WITH 1 OR MORE FAMILY MEMBERS UNDER 18												
Number.....thousands..	3,205	1,710	1,496	2,093	1,256	837	1,111	454	658	1,067	419	649
Percent.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
$1 to $124.....	4.7	5.6	3.8	5.8	6.0	5.5	2.7	4.4	1.7	2.7	4.5	1.7
$125 to $249.....	4.8	5.4	4.1	5.3	5.7	4.8	3.9	4.4	3.5	3.9	4.5	3.5
$250 to $499.....	10.2	11.8	8.4	10.6	11.6	9.2	9.3	12.2	7.3	9.3	12.2	7.5
$500 to $749.....	11.3	11.1	11.6	11.7	11.6	11.7	10.6	9.3	11.5	10.1	8.4	11.2
$750 to $999.....	9.7	10.1	9.2	9.8	10.0	9.6	9.4	10.4	8.6	9.7	11.0	8.7
$1,000 to $1,249.....	7.2	6.8	7.6	6.6	7.1	5.9	8.3	6.4	9.7	8.0	5.7	9.7
$1,250 to $1,499.....	9.1	9.2	9.0	9.6	9.8	9.4	8.1	7.5	8.5	8.3	8.1	8.4
$1,500 to $1,749.....	6.6	6.2	7.1	6.4	6.1	6.8	7.1	6.4	7.4	7.1	6.4	7.5
$1,750 to $1,999.....	6.0	5.3	6.8	5.4	4.7	6.5	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	6.9	7.2
$2,000 to $2,499.....	10.1	8.8	11.4	9.3	7.9	11.4	11.4	11.5	11.5	11.4	11.2	11.3
$2,500 to $2,999.....	8.9	8.2	9.8	9.1	8.6	10.0	8.5	7.1	9.4	8.5	7.4	9.2
$3,000 to $3,999.....	8.1	8.4	7.7	7.2	7.7	6.5	9.6	10.2	9.2	9.7	10.5	9.2
$4,000 and over.....	3.4	3.1	3.7	3.1	3.2	2.9	4.0	2.9	4.7	4.1	3.1	4.8
Median income deficit.....	$1,308	$1,222	$1,400	$1,254	$1,180	$1,340	$1,431	$1,342	$1,480	$1,439	$1,364	$1,477
Mean income deficit.....	$1,543	$1,478	$1,617	$1,484	$1,451	$1,534	$1,653	$1,557	$1,718	$1,662	$1,578	$1,716
Deficit per family member.....	$316	$271	$383	$325	$282	$413	$301	$246	$351	$305	$248	$353

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 24. SIZE OF INCOME DEFICIT IN 1969--FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS BELOW THE POVERTY LEVEL IN 1969, BY NUMBER OF FAMILY MEMBERS UNDER 18 YEARS OLD AND SEX AND RACE OF HEAD--Continued

(Numbers in thousands. Families, unrelated individuals, and family members as of March 1970)

Size of income deficit and number of family members under 18[1]	All races			White			Negro and other races					
							Total			Negro		
	Total	Male head[2]	Female head[2]	Total	Male head[2]	Female head[2]	Total	Male head[2]	Female head[2]	Total	Male head[2]	Female head[2]
FAMILIES WITH 1 FAMILY MEMBER UNDER 18												
Number.....thousands..	752	386	366	538	306	232	214	80	134	204	72	132
Percent.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	(B)	100.0
$1 to $124.....	4.5	3.1	6.0	4.9	2.3	8.7	3.7	6.3	1.5	3.9	(B)	1.5
$125 to $249.....	4.5	5.5	3.6	5.0	5.5	3.9	3.7	5.1	3.0	3.9	(B)	3.0
$250 to $499.....	14.4	16.4	12.3	14.7	17.2	11.3	14.0	12.7	14.2	13.7	(B)	14.4
$500 to $749.....	12.4	13.2	11.5	12.3	14.6	9.5	12.6	8.9	14.9	13.2	(B)	15.2
$750 to $999.....	13.1	13.2	12.8	13.2	13.0	13.9	12.1	13.9	11.2	12.3	(B)	11.4
$1,000 to $1,249.....	8.1	7.5	8.7	6.5	5.5	7.8	11.6	15.2	10.4	10.3	(B)	9.1
$1,250 to $1,499.....	11.7	8.1	15.6	10.8	7.8	14.7	14.0	10.1	16.4	14.2	(B)	16.7
$1,500 to $1,749.....	7.3	6.5	8.2	6.9	6.8	6.9	8.4	5.1	10.4	8.8	(B)	10.6
$1,750 to $1,999.....	5.1	4.4	5.7	4.9	3.6	6.9	5.6	7.6	3.7	4.9	(B)	3.8
$2,000 to $2,499.....	11.1	7.8	14.5	11.2	7.8	15.6	10.7	7.6	12.7	11.3	(B)	12.9
$2,500 to $2,999.....	6.3	11.9	0.3	7.8	13.3	0.4	2.3	6.3	-	2.0	(B)	-
$3,000 to $3,999.....	1.3	2.3	0.5	1.5	2.6	-	1.4	1.3	1.5	1.5	(B)	1.5
$4,000 and over.....	0.1	-	0.3	0.2	-	0.4	-	-	-	-	(B)	-
Median income deficit.....	$1,036	$973	$1,111	$998	$950	$1,101	$1,090	$1,052	$1,123	$1,076	(B)	$1,114
Mean income deficit.....	$1,216	$1,256	$1,174	$1,236	$1,277	$1,181	$1,168	$1,177	$1,162	$1,157	(B)	$1,161
Deficit per family member.....	$448	$396	$526	$458	$412	$544	$425	$342	$496	$427	(B)	$504
FAMILIES WITH 2 FAMILY MEMBERS UNDER 18												
Number.....thousands..	746	359	387	544	285	259	202	75	128	198	71	126
Percent.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	(B)	100.0
$1 to $124.....	5.8	7.8	3.9	7.2	9.8	4.2	2.0	-	3.2	2.0	(B)	3.2
$125 to $249.....	7.2	6.9	7.5	6.6	7.0	6.5	8.9	6.8	9.5	9.1	(B)	9.6
$250 to $499.....	11.4	12.5	10.3	10.9	9.5	12.3	12.8	24.7	6.3	12.6	(B)	6.4
$500 to $749.....	14.6	14.2	15.0	14.9	15.1	14.6	13.3	11.0	15.1	13.6	(B)	15.2
$750 to $999.....	10.3	7.8	12.9	9.2	6.0	12.7	13.3	13.7	13.5	13.6	(B)	13.6
$1,000 to $1,249.....	6.2	5.6	6.5	4.4	6.0	2.3	10.8	4.1	15.1	10.6	(B)	15.2
$1,250 to $1,499.....	7.8	9.2	6.5	8.7	10.9	6.5	5.4	4.1	6.3	5.6	(B)	6.4
$1,500 to $1,749.....	7.0	7.8	6.2	6.8	8.1	5.4	7.4	6.8	7.9	7.6	(B)	8.0
$1,750 to $1,999.....	4.7	3.9	5.7	5.0	3.9	6.2	4.4	4.1	4.8	4.0	(B)	4.8
$2,000 to $2,499.....	9.8	8.9	10.6	8.8	8.1	10.0	12.3	12.3	11.9	12.6	(B)	12.0
$2,500 to $2,999.....	9.7	5.3	13.7	12.2	6.7	18.1	3.0	-	4.8	3.0	(B)	4.8
$3,000 to $3,999.....	5.0	9.4	1.0	5.2	8.8	1.2	4.9	11.0	0.8	4.0	(B)	-
$4,000 and over.....	0.5	0.8	0.3	0.2	0.4	-	1.5	1.4	0.8	1.5	(B)	0.8
Median income deficit.....	$1,027	$1,033	$1,022	$1,064	$1,103	$992	$990	$895	$1,044	$984	(B)	$1,036
Mean income deficit.....	$1,305	$1,313	$1,299	$1,336	$1,314	$1,361	$1,223	$1,308	$1,173	$1,217	(B)	$1,154
Deficit per family member.....	$349	$312	$392	$361	$315	$427	$319	$306	$331	$322	(B)	$325
FAMILIES WITH 3 FAMILY MEMBERS UNDER 18												
Number.....thousands..	595	315	280	404	241	163	191	74	117	180	66	114
Percent.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	(B)	100.0	100.0	(B)	100.0
$1 to $124.....	4.7	6.7	2.9	5.4	6.7	4.3	3.1	(B)	0.9	3.4	(B)	0.9
$125 to $249.....	6.1	7.3	4.7	7.4	7.5	7.3	3.1	(B)	0.9	3.4	(B)	0.9
$250 to $499.....	9.9	14.0	5.4	9.9	13.3	4.9	9.9	(B)	6.0	10.1	(B)	6.1
$500 to $749.....	10.1	9.5	10.8	9.2	9.2	9.1	12.6	(B)	12.9	8.9	(B)	11.4
$750 to $999.....	6.2	7.0	5.4	6.9	7.5	6.1	4.7	(B)	4.3	5.0	(B)	4.4
$1,000 to $1,249.....	6.4	5.4	7.5	6.2	6.2	5.5	7.3	(B)	10.3	7.8	(B)	10.5
$1,250 to $1,499.....	8.9	8.3	9.7	10.4	9.2	12.2	5.8	(B)	6.0	6.1	(B)	6.1
$1,500 to $1,749.....	7.7	5.7	10.0	7.9	5.8	11.0	7.3	(B)	8.6	7.8	(B)	8.8
$1,750 to $1,999.....	7.1	5.1	9.3	5.9	5.4	6.7	9.4	(B)	12.9	10.1	(B)	13.2
$2,000 to $2,499.....	8.6	8.3	9.0	8.4	7.1	10.4	8.9	(B)	7.8	9.5	(B)	7.9
$2,500 to $2,999.....	10.9	10.5	11.5	9.4	10.4	8.5	13.6	(B)	15.5	14.5	(B)	15.8
$3,000 to $2,999.....	11.1	9.2	13.3	9.7	7.5	12.8	14.1	(B)	13.8	13.4	(B)	14.0
$4,000 and over.....	2.2	3.2	0.7	3.2	4.2	1.2	-	(B)	-	-	(B)	-
Median income deficit.....	$1,432	$1,258	$1,596	$1,370	$1,236	$1,516	$1,627	(B)	$1,738	$1,680	(B)	$1,761
Mean income deficit.....	$1,589	$1,479	$1,713	$1,540	$1,463	$1,653	$1,693	(B)	$1,795	$1,716	(B)	$1,820
Deficit per family member.....	$324	$274	$394	$321	$281	$394	$330	(B)	$393	$338	(B)	$396

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Table 24. SIZE OF INCOME DEFICIT IN 1969--FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS BELOW THE POVERTY LEVEL IN 1969, BY NUMBER OF FAMILY MEMBERS UNDER 18 YEARS OLD AND SEX AND RACE OF HEAD--Continued

(Numbers in thousands. Families, unrelated individuals, and family members as of March 1970)

Size of income deficit and number of family members under 18[1]	All races			White			Negro and other races					
							Total			Negro		
	Total	Male head[2]	Female head[2]	Total	Male head[2]	Female head[2]	Total	Male head[2]	Female head[2]	Total	Male head[2]	Female head[2]
FAMILIES WITH 4 FAMILY MEMBERS UNDER 18												
Number.....thousands..	450	248	202	273	176	97	177	72	105	170	66	104
Percent.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	(B)	100.0	100.0	(B)	100.0
$1 to $124.....	4.2	4.8	4.0	6.6	5.7	8.1	0.6	(B)	-	0.6	(B)	-
$125 to $249.....	3.1	5.2	0.5	2.9	4.6	-	3.4	(B)	1.0	2.9	(B)	1.0
$250 to $499.....	7.1	7.6	6.5	7.7	8.0	6.1	6.2	(B)	6.7	6.5	(B)	6.8
$500 to $749.....	10.9	9.6	12.4	12.1	10.3	15.2	9.0	(B)	9.6	9.4	(B)	9.7
$750 to $999.....	10.0	14.4	4.5	11.0	14.9	4.0	8.5	(B)	4.8	8.8	(B)	4.9
$1,000 to $1,249.....	9.1	8.8	9.5	9.5	9.7	9.1	8.5	(B)	9.6	7.6	(B)	9.7
$1,250 to $1,499.....	8.9	10.8	6.5	8.1	11.4	3.0	10.2	(B)	9.6	10.6	(B)	9.7
$1,500 to $1,749.....	4.4	3.6	5.5	2.9	2.9	3.0	6.8	(B)	7.7	5.9	(B)	7.8
$1,750 to $1,999.....	7.3	6.8	8.0	7.7	7.4	8.1	6.8	(B)	8.7	6.5	(B)	8.7
$2,000 to $2,499.....	9.1	7.6	10.9	6.6	4.0	11.1	13.0	(B)	10.6	13.5	(B)	10.7
$2,500 to $2,999.....	6.9	3.6	10.9	5.1	4.0	8.1	9.6	(B)	13.5	9.4	(B)	12.6
$3,000 to $3,999.....	13.8	11.6	16.4	12.8	10.9	16.2	15.3	(B)	17.3	15.9	(B)	17.5
$4,000 and over.....	5.1	5.6	4.5	7.0	6.3	8.1	2.3	(B)	1.0	2.4	(B)	1.0
Median income deficit.....	$1,405	$1,242	$1,780	$1,265	$1,168	$1,797	$1,624	(B)	$1,765	$1,632	(B)	$1,751
Mean income deficit.....	$1,733	$1,595	$1,903	$1,686	$1,560	$1,913	$1,806	(B)	$1,893	$1,818	(B)	$1,885
Deficit per family member.....	$291	$248	$353	$287	$250	$369	$296	(B)	$340	$300	(B)	$339
FAMILIES WITH 5 FAMILY MEMBERS UNDER 18												
Number.....thousands..	320	195	125	189	140	49	130	55	75	123	49	75
Percent.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	(B)	100.0	(B)	100.0	100.0	(B)	100.0
$1 to $124.....	5.3	8.8	-	5.8	7.9	(B)	4.5	(B)	-	4.8	(B)	-
$125 to $249.....	3.4	3.1	4.0	4.2	4.3	(B)	3.0	(B)	5.4	3.2	(B)	5.5
$250 to $499.....	6.6	6.7	6.5	6.9	6.4	(B)	6.1	(B)	5.4	6.5	(B)	5.5
$500 to $749.....	9.7	9.3	10.5	9.5	8.6	(B)	9.1	(B)	8.1	7.3	(B)	8.2
$750 to $999.....	7.5	7.2	8.1	7.4	9.3	(B)	7.6	(B)	10.8	8.1	(B)	11.0
$1,000 to $1,249.....	8.1	9.3	6.5	12.2	12.9	(B)	2.3	(B)	4.1	2.4	(B)	4.1
$1,250 to $1,499.....	6.9	7.2	6.5	9.0	8.6	(B)	3.8	(B)	2.7	3.2	(B)	1.4
$1,500 to $1,749.....	5.9	5.7	6.5	5.8	4.3	(B)	6.8	(B)	5.4	7.3	(B)	5.5
$1,750 to $1,999.....	7.2	8.8	4.0	4.8	6.4	(B)	10.6	(B)	6.8	11.3	(B)	6.8
$2,000 to $2,499.....	9.4	8.2	11.3	7.4	7.9	(B)	12.1	(B)	14.9	9.7	(B)	15.1
$2,500 to $2,999.....	10.6	7.7	14.5	6.9	5.0	(B)	15.2	(B)	16.2	16.1	(B)	16.4
$3,000 to $3,999.....	11.6	12.4	10.5	11.6	12.1	(B)	11.4	(B)	10.8	12.1	(B)	11.0
$4,000 and over.....	7.8	5.7	11.3	8.5	6.4	(B)	7.6	(B)	9.5	8.1	(B)	9.6
Median income deficit.....	$1,606	$1,448	$1,889	$1,353	$1,271	(B)	$1,925	(B)	$2,041	$1,931	(B)	$2,062
Mean income deficit.....	$1,844	$1,685	$2,093	$1,752	$1,636	(B)	$1,978	(B)	$2,100	$2,009	(B)	$2,108
Deficit per family member.....	$270	$233	$338	$256	$229	(B)	$289	(B)	$327	$296	(B)	$333
FAMILIES WITH 6 OR MORE FAMILY MEMBERS UNDER 18												
Number.....thousands..	342	205	137	145	108	37	196	97	99	192	95	97
Percent.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	(B)	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
$1 to $124.....	3.2	2.9	2.9	2.8	2.8	(B)	3.6	4.0	3.0	2.6	2.1	3.1
$125 to $249.....	1.2	1.9	-	1.4	1.8	(B)	0.5	1.0	-	0.5	1.0	-
$250 to $499.....	6.1	8.3	2.9	8.3	10.1	(B)	4.6	7.1	3.0	4.7	7.3	3.1
$500 to $749.....	5.8	6.8	4.4	5.5	6.4	(B)	6.2	8.1	4.0	6.3	8.3	4.2
$750 to $999.....	8.8	11.2	5.1	9.0	11.9	(B)	8.7	10.1	7.0	8.9	10.4	7.3
$1,000 to $1,249.....	5.3	5.3	5.1	3.4	3.7	(B)	6.7	7.1	6.0	6.8	7.3	6.2
$1,250 to $1,499.....	8.8	12.1	4.4	10.3	13.8	(B)	7.7	9.1	6.0	7.9	9.4	6.2
$1,500 to $1,749.....	5.8	7.3	3.7	6.9	6.4	(B)	5.1	8.1	2.0	5.3	8.3	2.1
$1,750 to $1,999.....	6.1	4.9	8.1	4.8	1.8	(B)	7.2	8.1	7.0	7.4	8.3	7.3
$2,000 to $2,499.....	12.9	14.1	11.8	13.8	14.7	(B)	12.3	13.1	12.0	11.6	12.5	10.4
$2,500 to $2,999.....	10.8	8.7	14.0	11.7	10.1	(B)	10.3	7.1	13.0	10.0	7.3	11.5
$3,000 to $3,999.....	12.9	9.2	18.4	13.1	9.2	(B)	12.8	9.1	16.0	13.2	9.4	16.7
$4,000 and over.....	12.3	7.3	19.1	9.0	7.3	(B)	14.4	8.1	21.0	14.7	8.3	21.9
Median income deficit.....	$1,958	$1,555	$2,559	$1,880	$1,498	(B)	$1,994	$1,612	$2,486	$1,971	$1,611	$2,488
Mean income deficit.....	$2,170	$1,861	$2,633	$2,076	$1,858	(B)	$2,239	$1,865	$2,607	$2.249	$1,880	$2,612
Deficit per family member.....	$243	$200	$315	$237	$206	(B)	$246	$194	$304	$248	$196	$307

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Table 24. SIZE OF INCOME DEFICIT IN 1969--FAMILIES AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS BELOW THE POVERTY LEVEL IN 1969, BY NUMBER OF FAMILY MEMBERS UNDER 18 YEARS OLD AND SEX AND RACE OF HEAD--Continued

(Numbers in thousands. Families, unrelated individuals, and family members as of March 1970)

Size of income deficit and number of family members under 18[1]	All races			White			Negro and other races					
							Total			Negro		
	Total	Male head[2]	Female head[2]	Total	Male head[2]	Female head[2]	Total	Male head[2]	Female head[2]	Total	Male head[2]	Female head[2]
UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS												
Number.....thousands..	4,851	1,379	3,472	3,962	1,048	2,914	889	332	557	806	287	520
Percent.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
$1 to $124.....	7.3	6.1	7.7	7.8	7.0	8.2	4.6	3.3	5.2	4.7	3.8	5.2
$125 to $249.....	9.2	9.6	9.1	10.0	10.8	9.7	5.6	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.2	6.2
$250 to $499.....	19.7	19.0	20.0	20.5	20.7	20.5	16.1	13.6	17.6	15.9	13.9	16.9
$500 to $749.....	19.1	16.3	20.3	19.3	16.4	20.3	18.4	15.7	20.1	18.6	16.4	19.8
$750 to $999.....	15.8	15.8	15.8	14.8	14.1	15.0	20.2	21.1	19.7	20.4	20.2	20.4
$1,000 to $1,249.....	9.5	8.6	9.8	8.5	6.8	9.1	13.8	14.5	13.4	12.9	12.2	13.5
$1,250 to $1,499.....	5.4	8.0	4.3	4.7	6.8	3.9	8.7	12.1	6.6	8.8	13.2	6.3
$1,500 to $1,749.....	4.6	5.1	4.4	4.5	5.1	4.4	4.9	5.1	4.8	5.5	5.9	5.2
$1,750 to $1,999.....	9.4	11.5	8.6	9.8	12.4	8.9	7.5	8.8	6.8	7.5	9.1	6.5
$2,000 to $2,499.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
$2,500 to $2,999.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
$3,000 to $3,999.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
$4,000 and over.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Median income deficit.....	$680	$736	$663	$650	$675	$642	$814	$887	$768	$811	$884	$772
Mean income deficit.....	$777	$843	$751	$759	$813	$739	$861	$937	$816	$859	$940	$814
Deficit per family member.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
FAMILY MEMBERS UNDER 18												
Number.....thousands..	9,928	5,499	4,429	5,857	3,719	2,138	4,071	1,780	2,292	3,901	1,657	2,245
Percent.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
$1 to $124.....	4.4	5.5	3.1	5.4	5.9	4.6	3.0	4.7	1.7	2.9	4.6	1.7
$125 to $249.....	4.0	4.6	3.2	4.7	5.1	4.0	2.9	3.4	2.5	2.9	3.3	2.5
$250 to $499.....	8.4	9.9	6.5	9.2	10.1	7.7	7.1	9.6	5.3	7.2	9.7	5.4
$500 to $749.....	10.1	9.7	10.5	10.5	10.0	11.3	9.5	9.2	9.7	8.8	7.9	9.5
$750 to $999.....	8.9	10.1	7.4	9.2	10.4	7.1	8.4	9.4	7.6	8.7	10.0	7.8
$1,000 to $1,249.....	6.9	6.7	7.1	7.0	7.5	6.1	6.8	5.1	8.1	6.7	4.8	8.2
$1,250 to $1,499.....	8.5	9.6	7.2	9.4	10.4	7.7	7.2	7.9	6.7	7.4	8.4	6.6
$1,500 to $1,749.....	6.5	6.5	6.6	6.3	5.8	7.1	7.0	7.9	6.2	7.1	8.0	6.4
$1,750 to $1,999.....	6.9	6.3	7.7	6.3	5.3	7.8	7.9	8.3	7.6	7.9	8.3	7.6
$2,000 to $2,499.....	10.3	9.6	11.1	9.0	8.4	10.1	12.1	12.2	12.1	11.7	11.5	11.9
$2,500 to $2,999.....	9.4	7.7	11.6	8.9	7.7	11.1	10.1	7.6	12.1	10.1	8.1	11.7
$3,000 to $3,999.....	10.3	9.4	11.5	9.4	8.7	10.4	11.7	10.7	12.4	11.9	11.0	12.5
$4,000 and over.....	5.4	4.4	6.5	4.7	4.6	5.0	6.3	4.1	7.9	6.5	4.4	8.1
Median income deficit.....	$1,466	$1,340	$1,690	$1,355	$1,274	$1,553	$1,681	$1,524	$1,821	$1,688	$1,544	$1,810
Mean income deficit.....	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Deficit per family member.....	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)

- Represents zero. B Base less than 75,000. NA Not available. X Not applicable.
[1] Other than head or wife.
[2] For families and family members, sex of the family head; for unrelated individuals, sex of the individual.

Table 25. SIZE OF INCOME DEFICIT IN 1969 AND REGION--FAMILIES BELOW THE POVERTY LEVEL IN 1969, BY RACE OF HEAD

(Families as of March 1970)

Size of income deficit	United States			Northeast			North Central			South			West		
	All races	White	Negro	All races	White	Negro	All races	White	Negro	All races	White	Negro	All races	White	Negro
Number.....thousands..	4,950	3,555	1,326	836	641	190	1,071	876	188	2,325	1,428	884	714	606	64
Percent.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	(B)
$1 to $124.....	7.1	8.4	3.8	10.0	11.7	4.6	7.4	8.2	4.1	6.2	7.9	3.5	6.1	6.5	(B)
$125 to $249.....	6.8	7.7	4.8	9.1	8.7	10.5	7.3	8.2	3.6	5.9	7.1	4.1	6.4	7.2	(B)
$250 to $499.....	12.8	13.8	9.8	16.0	15.8	17.1	13.9	15.6	6.8	11.9	13.6	9.2	10.1	10.0	(B)
$500 to $749.....	12.9	13.1	11.9	12.0	11.7	13.4	12.8	12.8	12.3	12.4	13.1	10.9	15.8	15.2	(B)
$750 to $999.....	10.9	11.0	10.8	10.2	10.6	8.5	13.1	12.7	14.4	11.0	11.5	10.4	8.1	7.9	(B)
$1,000 to $1,249.....	7.8	7.4	8.7	7.1	5.2	13.4	8.9	8.4	10.3	7.8	8.0	7.4	7.2	7.2	(B)
$1,250 to $1,499.....	8.7	8.6	9.1	6.8	7.3	5.1	8.8	8.4	10.7	9.1	8.8	9.5	9.9	9.8	(B)
$1,500 to $1,749.....	5.9	5.3	7.2	5.3	5.4	4.7	4.5	4.9	2.9	6.6	5.6	8.4	6.1	4.9	(B)
$1,750 to $1,999.....	4.9	4.3	6.3	3.5	4.0	2.1	3.3	2.4	7.9	5.4	4.8	6.4	6.7	6.2	(B)
$2,000 to $2,499.....	8.8	8.6	9.6	8.9	8.5	9.8	8.5	7.7	12.3	8.7	8.3	9.4	9.5	10.4	(B)
$2,500 to $2,999.....	6.0	5.7	6.9	4.5	4.7	3.5	5.7	5.6	5.8	6.2	5.2	8.0	7.4	8.0	(B)
$3,000 to $3,999.....	5.3	4.3	7.8	4.9	4.1	6.5	4.1	3.6	6.3	6.0	4.5	8.5	4.9	5.0	(B)
$4,000 and over.....	2.1	1.8	3.2	1.9	2.2	0.8	1.6	1.5	2.5	2.8	1.8	4.3	1.5	1.7	(B)
Median income deficit.....	$988	$899	$1,252	$816	$796	$871	$899	$843	$1,200	$1,076	$925	$1,372	$1,135	$1,121	(B)
Mean income deficit.....	$1,283	$1,200	$1,503	$1,156	$1,142	$1,168	$1,182	$1,123	$1,453	$1,362	$1,216	$1,600	$1,327	$1,336	(B)

B Base less than 75,000.

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